"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy today and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.
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PUTS FULL STEAM INTO LOAN DRIVE FOR FINAL WEEK

Every Element of Campaign to Apply Supreme Effort in Next Six Days.

STILL HOPE FOR 5 BILLION

Treasury Issues Special Appeal and Points to Germany's Recent 3 Billion Sale.

SURE OF FULL QUOTA HERE

Committee Believes New York District Will Take $1,500,000,000—Stock Exchange to Hold Rally.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The Liberty Loan campaign swings into the home stretch tomorrow with subscriptions of only $1,973,000,000, or slightly under 40 per cent., of the hoped-for maximum. In the final spurt to the finish next Saturday, officials said tonight, it carries a handicap, regarded as unnecessary, in the form of widespread reports that the totals announced by the Treasury Department are actually far below the totals really subscribed.

This handicap, it is said, is imposed unwillingly by the loan's best friends, who have come to believe, in many instances, that the Treasury Department has deliberately made the total subscriptions appear less "by several hundred million dollars" than the real returns. No such practice, it was emphatically asserted tonight, has prevailed. The totals, official and estimated, as announced each night, it was asserted, represent the sum of official and estimated returns sent daily by wire to the Treasury, and are not altered, juggled or reduced.

"Ever since the latter part of the first week of the drive," reads the Treasury Department's statement tonight, "almost three weeks ago, exaggerated reports of the total amount of subscriptions have been published daily in connection with stories that Treasury Department figures were bearish to the extent of several hundred million dollars.

"The policy of the department throughout the campaign has been to publish the latest official figures at hand exactly as returned by the different Federal Reserve Banks, and to make public without change estimates forwarded to Washington by heads of the various district committees.

Exaggeration at Minneapolis.

"Committee Chairmen throughout the country have been asked to base their estimates on what they know to be facts, and, insofar as is known at the department, they have done so. A striking example of the inaccuracy of some reports which have been sent broadcast was shown in the case of the Minneapolis District, where estimates of current sales were being published daily before the sale started there.

"The situation tonight, therefore, according to the best information that the department possesses, is that the sales to date are about $1,000,000,000 short of the minimum and $3,000,000,000 short of the maximum quotas set for the country by Secretary McAdoo at the outset of the campaign. He insisted that $3,000,000,000 in bonds be sold, and it was his expressed hope that the $5,000,000,000 mark would be reached.

"Vigorous efforts will be made in every district between tomorrow morning and next Saturday noon to raise the $3,000,000,000 total. The $3,000,000,000 mark is being lost sight of in the fight for the higher figure.

"One of the strongest arguments to be used in the closing days of the campaign will be the figures for the seventh German war loan, just made public.

"After more than three years of war, and with a casualty list estimated at 2,500,000 persons, the German people, exclusive of soldiers, have subscribed $3,107,500,000 to a loan. Nothing would give the Kaiser and all other enemies of this country more pleasure, it will be pointed out, than for the people of the United States to fail to subscribe a greater amount than this to the second Liberty loan, when they have had only one previous loan and virtually no casualties."

Outlook Good.

"The general outlook for the sale is good. Only two disturbing element appear: The apathy of certain rural communities of the Middle West and South, and overconfidence, bred by unfounded optimistic reports of sales.

"Liberty Day, next Wednesday, doubtless will see a flood of subscriptions. The country will celebrate that occasion, made a national holiday by President Wilson, as it has not celebrated a holiday in many years. Nor will all itst enthusiasm go up in applause and speeches. It will be a sales day, as well as a day of oratory and display. Committees in all the twelve districts of the country predict that the sales for that day will outstrip any other single day in the history of either the first or the second loan.

"Liberty Day speakers include former President Taft at Hartford, Conn.; former Vice President Fairbanks at Kansas City, Mo.; Speaker Clark at Oklahoma City, Secretary McAdoo at Atlanta, Secretary Baker at Boston, Secretary Daniels at Columbus, Ohio; Attorney General Gregory at Philadelphia, and Secretary Redfield at Baltimore. William J. Bryan also will speak at places to be selected later.

"The Boy Scout campaign, which began last Saturday with 900,000 work-

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St. Nicholas Ice Skating Rink.
Learn to skate. Winter's healthful sport. Expert instruction at 69 West 66th St. Three rinks daily. Admission 10c.—Advt.

France Seizes All Shoe Shops To Manufacture National Shoe

PARIS, Oct. 21.—A Ministerial decree requisitioning all the shoe factories in France, effective Nov. 15, is supposed by the shoe trade to be intended to overcome the disinclination of the manufacturers to make the new national shoe in the quantities demanded by the Government. Five hundred thousand pairs monthly were ordered, and only a small part of that number was put on sale.

A prominent wholesale dealer expresses the opinion that the requisitioned shops would be put to work immediately after Nov. 15 on their respective proportions of the required output of the national shoe, with the privilege of using the balance of their capacity for private manufacture.

$2,997,117 IS ADDED TO CITY'S BUDGET

Committee Makes Final Report Just Before Time Expired Under the Law.

HIGH COST OF FOOD SEEN

Allowance of Additional 10 Per Cent. Made to Charitable Institutions for the City's Dependents.

Nearly $3,000,000 has been added to the city's tentative tax budget for 1918 by the Tax Budget Committee, which reported to the Board of Estimate late Saturday night, when the time expired under the law for making its report on increases. From now until midnight Oct. 31, when the budget must be finally adopted by the Board of Estimate, no more increases can be made, although decreases and eliminations may be considered. As the total tentative budget now stands, it amounts to $240,796,-110.44, the latest increases amounting to $2,997,117.12. The total figures include $8,468,750 as the city's share of the direct State tax and $7,400,534 for the expenses of the five counties within the city.

The chief items entering into the latest increases are: Cuntingency fund for labor, $1,500,000, to provide for increases in the wages of laborers and those in kindred occupations, which the city may be obliged to pay on account of war conditions; national defense Emergency fund, $250,000, to be apportioned, should occasion arise for its use, by the Board of Estimate upon requisitions submitted by the Mayor; charitable institutions, $885,250, representing an additional allowance of 10 per cent. in the per diem and per capita rates paid by the city to hospitals and child-caring institutions to partly offset the increased cost to these institutions of personal service, food, fuel, wearing apparel, &c., incidental to the care and maintenance of the city's dependent sick, orphans, and others.

The Police Department gets $433,000, and of this amount $378,000 represents increased compensation of $100 each to Lieutenants and Sergeants, $200 each to first grade detectives, $200 each to matrons, provision for eighty additional Sergeants, and the establishment of a corps of women protective officers. There is also $50,000 for the contingency fund and $10,000 for munitions. Fire Department, $200,170, providing increases of $300 each to Captains and $250 each to Lieutenants. President Borough of Queens, $79,638 for increases in the salaries of foremen, compensation for drivers with carts and teams; also an additional allowance to provide for the maintenance of asphalt roads to be turned over by contractors during 1917 and 1918. Health Department, $73,240. This represents $23,240 for the extension of industrial hygiene, and $10,000 for mosquito extermination. Register, New York County, $65,000 for block reindexing and corrections, and Department of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity, $39,777, to provide increased compensation to engineers, oilers, stokers, and plumbers.

Under the provision of an amendment to the charter, enacted this year, the Board of Estimate is required to file the proposed budget in the office of the secretary of the Board of Estimate not later than Oct. 20. The official taxpayers' hearings will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 24, and Thursday, Oct. 25, at 10 A. M. at the City Hall.

The Bureau of Municipal Research, through its Director, E. P. Goodrich, gave out a statement last night analyzing the budget increases as made up before the additional increases were made on Saturday. It points out that an increase of $19,961,488.45 over the 1917 budget is due to the debt service, others retirement system, State direct tax, and practically inevitable increases if employes now receiving less than $1,500, and says: "The Bureau of Municipal Research has made careful study of costs of living, of the salary question, of the debt service, and of budget theory, and believes that the city should frankly face the above mentioned budget increases, meeting them as far as possible from increases in real estate valuations and additional sources of revenue. Because of war conditions and other exigencies, the bureau recommends cuts of at least $6,855,926 in the 1918 tentative budget to eliminate the balance of the total increase."

The possible methods suggested by the bureau for obtaining the decreases are: By permitting no salary increases for employes now receiving over $2,500; by dropping a number of the least important high-priced positions, the salaries of which aggregate a quarter of a million dollars; by curtailing public lighting schedules, the municipal ownership and operation of lighting fixtures, postponing the extension of public library activities, &c., and by a horizontal cut of possibly 2 per cent. in all non-mandatory items in the budget, but retaining all the items listed.

SWISS ARRESTED IN CUBA.

Returns After Being Barred and is Sent to Prison.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

HAVANA, Oct. 21.—Max Scheutzer, a Swiss whom Cuba sent back to Key West last week on suspicion, returned here today and was imprisoned with German prisoners.

La Nacion, which President Menocal recently permitted to resume publication, today published an editorial calculated to stir Cuban resentment over the landing of marines to protect the sugar crop. The paper probably will be prohibited again, it is reported.

The Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs West Va. Ideal time for the cure. Only one night from New York.—Advt.

MAYOR ATTACKS HYLAN AS PUPPET OF HIS SPONSORS

Declares That with the Judge as Mayor, Murphy and Hearst Would Control City.

AGAIN SEEKS JOINT DEBATE

Calls Swann's Attacks Mere Effort to Muddy the Waters to Hide Hylan's Record.

PROUD OF FUSION'S WORK

Compares Fire, Police, and Street Cleaning Departments with Tammany Days.

Mayor Mitchel issued a statement last night not only attacking the record of his Tammany opponent, Judge John F. Hylan, but declaring that, should he be elected, his political sponsors, Charles F. Murphy and William R. Hearst, would be the real influence in the Board of Estimate, the governing board of the city. The Mayor again insisted that he was ready to debate the issues of the campaign with Judge Hylan, and said the attack being made upon him by District Attorney Swann was simply a plan to "muddy the waters" to divert attention from the Tammany Mayoralty candidate. This is the Mayor's statement:

"Each night that Judge Hylan has appeared in the present campaign he has stood before his fellow-citizens and read speeches which these citizens knew to be the product, not of Judge Hylan, but of the two men whom Judge Hylan represents.

"This in itself is a humiliating spectacle to all who expect from public men the leadership and capacity which their position demands.

"Should Mr. Murphy and Mr. Hearst be successful in their attempt to place Judge Hylan in the Mayor's chair, the man who now is only the mouthpiece of Hearst and Murphy will be only their mouthpiece then.

"If elected, whose speeches will Judge Hylan read at the meetings of the Board of Estimate? Will they be Mr. Murphy's?

"Whose speeches will Judge Hylan read when he is called upon to voice the city's loyalty to the National Government? Will they be Mr. Hearst's?

"Mr. Murphy knows that, if he himself were a candidate for Mayor, he would be defeated by an overwhelming vote. Even before Mr. Hearst proved that he loves Germany more than he loves the United States, the people of this city rejected him for Mayor. Both Murphy and Hearst know that they cannot rule this city in person; they are both now determined that they will rule it by proxy.

Proud of Fusion Record.

"Nothing is more foreign to my desire than to attack unjustly the reputation of any man. I believe that great public questions should be determined carefully and judiciously without reference to persons or personalities. I should have much preferred to conduct the present campaign on the single issue of whether four years' effective government should be continued.

"There is nothing in which I take so much pride or concerning which I would rather speak than New York City's government during the last four years. I am proud of the record of the police force, of the Fire Department, of the Health Department, and of all the other agencies through which the lives of 6,000,000 people have been made safe, healthy, and comfortable.

"I should be glad to meet Mr. Murphy's candidate on the single issue that the Police Department, over which Arthur Woods presides, is a better department than that which was headed by Devery; that our present Fire Department is a better department than the department which gave the city rotten hose and the Triangle fire, and that the Street Cleaning Department, which now keeps the city's thoroughfares the cleanest in the country, is a better department than that which permitted reeking garbage cans to stand for weeks upon the congested sidewalks of the east side.

"Had Mr. Murphy nominated a respectable candidate; had Mr. Hearst kept his seditious hand out of the political situation, the people of this city would have been spared the campaign of personalities which has now been inflicted upon the city.

"But more important than clean streets, more essential than an honest police force is the dignity and honor of New York City.

"I have made and I shall make no statement concerning Judge Hylan which is not amply sustained by the evidence, but it is clear to every thinking man that the evidence already in the possession of the public proves that the election of Judge Hylan to the office of Mayor would create an intolerable situation.

Quotes Hylan's Admission.

"Judge Hylan has confessed over his own signature to his part in the Black Diamond venture. He has admitted over his own signature that statements he swore to in an affidavit some years ago were false. And Judge Swann, who now plunges in at Murphy's command to defend Judge Hylan, has admitted in a public speech, and in spite of Judge Hylan's denial, that Judge Hylan did know Alfred R. Goslin, the jailbird and confidence man, whose checks Judge Hylan received and cashed while he was a candidate for a judgeship.

"These facts are all admitted either by Judge Hylan or by those who speak for him. The only thing that needs to be added to this is Mayor Gaynor's ref-

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TO-NIGHT—CHU CHIN CHOW.
Manhattan Opera House, at 8 Sharp.—Advt.

Kaiser Back in Berlin Today From East; Will Consult ex-Chancellors on Crisis

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Emperor William is expected to return to Berlin on Monday for the birthday of the German Empress, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph Company. While in the capital the Emperor will have a number of political conferences, to which Prince von Bülow and Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, the former Imperial Chancellors, have been invited.

Arrangements have been made, the dispatch adds, for the Emperor to visit the German naval bases, and he will probably go to Heligoland also.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 21.—A Sofia dispatch says that Emperor William arrived there on Friday from Constantinople. The Emperor dined with King Ferdinand and the royal family at Castle Vrana, near Sofia, and resumed his journey to Germany at midnight Friday.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 18, (via Amsterdam, Oct. 21.)—Emperor William tonight attended a banquet at the palace of Dolmabagtche. The guests included Sultan Mohammed V., all the Turkish Princes and members of the Cabinet, and Dr. Richard von Kühlmann, the German Foreign Secretary. Responding to the Sultan's toast, the German Emperor said:

"Yesterday it was my privilege to stand on ground where Turkish forces by land and sea performed immortal, glorious deeds, victoriously frustrating the enemy's assault on the heart of the empire and rendering immense service to our common cause.

"Anafarta, Ari Burnu, and Sed-el-Bahr will ever remain glorious pages in Turkish history. It is a proud honor for me to come in personal touch with such an army through my appointment as Field Marshal.

"I gather from your Majesty's words that the Turkish Army and people have the same resolute confidence as have the German Army and people to continue the war to a happy conclusion which will assure the rights and interests of our empires. In unshakable loyalty the Germans and Turks will persevere shoulder to shoulder with the Austrians, Hungarians, and Bulgarians until our enemies recognize the uselessness of their continuance of the war. In peace time our peoples will be welded still more firmly in the peaceful work of kultur."

BLIND IN LEFT EYE, ROOSEVELT ADMITS

Colonel Reveals That He Lost Sight of Organ in Boxing Bout Years Ago.

WINDS UP TRAINING WORK

Reduced in Weight and Girth, He Distances Mayor Mitchel in a Half-Mile Spurt.

Special to The New York Times.

STAMFORD, Conn., Oct. 21.—Weighing 202 pounds and with a waist measure of 42¾ inches Colonel Roosevelt received newspaper reporters and posed for moving picture photographers this afternoon at Jack Cooper's Health Farm in North Stamford Avenue. In the course of an interview which he gave he revealed the interesting fact that while boxing in the White House with a young artillery officer, the latter by a blow broke a blood vessel in the President's left eye and he had been blind in that eye ever since.

When the Colonel began his course of treatment at the farm on Oct. 8 he weighed 216 pounds and his waist line measured 46 inches. During the two weeks his daily schedule has been this: Arise, 7:30; breakfast, 8:15; attend to correspondence until 10; four miles brisk walking on a half-mile track, followed in the gymnasium by shadow boxing, abdominal exercises, and baths until 12:15; luncheon at 1:15.

After another period for his correspondence, the track and gymnasium exercises of the forenoon were repeated. Dinner was served at 6:45, and every night at 9 the Colonel went for a two-mile walk. He was thoroughly massaged before retiring at 10. He ate whatever he wanted and as much as wanted.

The Colonel this afternoon posed for the camera men with William Warren Barbour, a wealthy New York man, who some years ago won the amateur heavyweight boxing championship of America; Mayor Mitchel of New York, A. McAfee, a copper dealer, and William Zeigler, the baking powder man. He wore khaki knickerbockers, an olive-drab army shirt, reddish-brown woolen stockings, and tan army shoes, and was without a hat.

After posing for the cameras the Colonel, with Mr. Barbour and Gus Navka, a trainer, started on a circuit of the half-mile track, which was a sort of dash up and down hills and through cabbage patches along the borders of a lake. He hit up so fast a pace that Mayor Mitchel turned back before half the circuit had been made, and the newspaper men and onlookers were all winded when the dash was over.

Poses for Cameras.

A large crowd of Stamford people who had learned of the session with the newspaper men were on hand, among them Mayor Treat. They applauded Colonel Roosevelt, and he posed for many of the spectators who had cameras. He stopped to chat with the Rev. J. J. McGuane, a Catholic priest, who is taking treatment at the place, and then escorted the newspaper men through the gymnasium. Later at the Cooper House he gave an interview.

Colonel Roosevelt began the interview with a denial of a statement of a clergyman who was quoted under date of Oct. 20 in Omaha City as saying that the ex-President had announced he would be unable to keep a tentative speaking engagement there tonight because his physician had ordered him to cancel all speaking engagements and take a complete rest.

"That," said Colonel Roosevelt, "is a complete fake. They asked me to speak, and I declined. I haven't seen a physician for months. No human being told me either to cancel a speaking engagement or to take a complete rest."

The Colonel had some notes jotted down on a piece of paper and he referred to them occasionally as he went on with his talk.

"The gentlemen with whom you saw me having my picture taken today are old friends of mine. If I had been allowed to raise a division, Mr. McAfee would have held a commission under me, and Mr. Zeigler would have been with me.

"I don't know if any of you have ever taken any interest in boxing. I may say Warren Barbour here is the ex-amateur heavyweight champion in America. I think in the entire history of the prize ring Mr. Barbour is the one amateur I ever knew who in his time was a little better than the best professional. I was very anxious after he won the amateur heavyweight championship to have Warren Barbour go into the ring against Jack Johnson. I would have bet everything I could afford to put up on Warren Barbour. I have seen all the champions in the last thirty years. Only one man, in his prime was, I think, better than Mr. Barbour. He was John L. Sullivan.

"When I was young, I was fond of outdoor life. I used to do considerable boxing, and I wrestled quite a bit. I had gradually to give these exercises up, he last time I wrestled was when I was in Albany as Governor of New York State. A lightweight champion, I think his name was Leonard, used to work with me. He had to go away, and then I had a professional oarsman as wrestling partner. Leonard was so good he could take care of me and himself. But the first afternoon that the professional oarsman and myself got down to business on the mat one of my short ribs and two of his long ones were broken. After that we called it off.

"I kept up my boxing longer. When

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TRY TELEGRAFO CIGAR.
VERY MILD.
Park & Tilford.—Advt.

HUSTING IS KILLED BY BROTHER IN HUNT

Wisconsin Senator, Out Shooting Ducks, Receives Fatal Charge in the Back.

WAS RISING IN HIS BOAT

Had Been Conspicuous for Loyal Support of Wilson and Denunciation of Pro-Germans.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 21.—United States Senator Paul O. Husting of Wisconsin died at a farmhouse near Rush Lake, Wis., late today as the result of wounds accidentally inflicted upon him with a shotgun by his brother Gustave while hunting ducks this morning.

With his brother he had gone on a hunting expedition to Rush Lake, and the two were in a boat when the accident occurred. He had sighted a flock of ducks, and called for his brother to fire.

At the discharge of the shotgun he rose slightly, receiving the full charge of the gun in his back.

When Gustave Husting saw that the Senator had been shot he rowed to shore and summoned help, and the wounded man was taken to the home of C. A. Blackburn. On the way Senator Husting was conscious at times, but he lapsed into unconsciousness before the physicians arrived, and remained in a state of coma until the end.

At Senator Husting's bedside when he died were three brothers, B. A., Gustave, and Peter Husting, and, three physicians, who had been summoned immediately after the shooting.

Under the election laws of Wisconsin, Governor Philipp has the power to name a successor to the Senator until his successor is elected at a special or general election. Governor Philipp expressed deep regret when informed of the Senator's death. He had not determined tonight on what course he would pursue as to a successor.

Senator Husting recently returned to his home at Mayville after the close of the extra session of Congress.

Strong Opponent of La Follette.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The death of Senator Husting will cost the Democrats a seat. His successor will be appointed by Governor Philipp, a stanupat Republican and bitter opponent of Senator La Follette. This change will give the Senate forty-two Republicans against fifty-four Democrats, leaving the latter a majority of twelve.

Senator Husting was conspicuous during the recent session of the Senate in his opposition on the floor of the Senate to Senator La Follette and the pro-German constituency behind him. He caused a sensation by having read into the record letters from the Embargo Conference in which the names of pro-German propagandists were revealed.

Senator Paul O. Husting was the most aggressive leader of the loyalist party in Wisconsin and a vigorous supporter of the policy of vigorous action against Germany during the period while American was hesitating on the edge of war. In April, 1916, during the diplomatic negotiations growing out of the sussex case, Congress was flooded with thousands of stereotyped telegrams, which originated in the American Embargo Conference, an organization which recent revelations by the State Department have shown to have been financed and organized by the German Embassy. Senator Husting denounced this body in a speech in the Senate.

"I believe that the best way to preserve peace," he said, "is for the people of the United States to get right squarely back of their Government and to sustain that Government in every crisis which comes to it. It is high time that the masks be torn from the faces of those who are trying to stir up dissension and insurrection in our own country in the pretended interest of peace."

Further, he said before the State Department and the Department of Justice such evidence as he had been able to gather about this flood of telegrams, saying: "If we refuse to coddle these propagandists, they would soon subside. I think the German Ambassador ought to be called on the carpet and made to realize that he cannot go on with this propaganda. For it is obvious that the trails of all these societies and organizations which under half a dozen names are working to bring about results which help Germany lead to the embassy, and some of them are rather slimy trails at that."

This statement was confirmed by the State Department eighteen months later.

In the Congressional discussions between the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany on Feb. 3, 1917, and the declaration of war on April 6, Senator Husting was in the front rank of the supporters of President Wilson, and by speeches in the Senate, as well as public addresses in Wisconsin and letters to constituents who were still sending him German-made form letters and telegrams urging inaction or pro-German action, he continually maintained that peace could only be continued if Germany would yield.

Senator Husting was born in Fond du Lac in 1865, and after serving as clerk in a general store, a post office, the railway mail service, and the office of the Secretary of State of Wisconsin, entered the State University in 1895 and was admitted to the bar in the same year. He was elected to the State Senate in 1906 and served until chosen to the United States Senate in 1914.

HOTEL ANSONIA Turkish and Russian baths exclusively for ladies. Open Monday, Oct. 22.—Advt.

GREAT ARMADA USED BY GERMANS IN RIGA CAMPAIGN

Had Probably Twice as Many Ships and Men as Shafter's 1898 Expedition.

FIRST STORY OF EXPEDITION

Berlin Correspondent Was on Transport That Hit a Mine—1,200 Men on Board Saved.

RUSSIAN FLEET ELUDES FOE

All That Were Supposed to be Trapped in Moon Sound Have Made Their Escape.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Saturday, Oct. 20 (via London, Oct. 21.)—From the few facts known yet concerning the German naval expedition to Riga Bay as to the number of ships and troops conveyed, one should judge that it was about twice the size of General Shafter's expedition to Cuba in 1898, and the writer, who was then aboard the transport Florida, would venture to say that it is of very much the same character, except that since then modern warfare has considerably increased the dangers connected with such operations, which now require most careful planning and steel nerves to carry them to success.

The Zeitung am Mittag today prints the first report of a newspaper correspondent, accompanying the expedition, Hans Keyser, who was on board a small transport, the Corsika, which in the dead of night ran on the mine front of Oesel Island and sank while the enemy's artillery fire was whipping the shallow water around her. Nevertheless, all 1,200 of the men aboard were saved. Keyser writes from Tagga Bay:

"I am feeling my way along the pitch-dark deck of the Corsika to the commander's bridge. Even the tiniest streak of light might reveal our presence. All bull's eyes and doors are calked. Nobody is permitted to carry a pocket lamp. Smoking is strictly prohibited.

"As my cabin is located close to the engine room it is impossible to sleep there tonight. The machines are pounding away in a terrific manner, accelerating our speed to an incredible degree, because before dawn we must come in sight of the hostile coast. Beside the ship's Captain and his mate I meet on the bridge the commandant of the troops, with whom I shall land this morning.

"All eyes strain to pierce the dense darkness of this storm-whipped night. You can just distinguish dark bodies moving along the railing. They are some of our soldiers, but most of them are resting beneath in the steerage with lifebelts tied around their waists. Except for the raging storm there is not a sound heard until from somewhere below come the merry notes of one of the latest musical comedies, whistled by a thoughtless sailor. He stops very suddenly.

"Now the black outlines of the colossal warships conveying us rise out of the darkness. They seem to stand stock still and permit us to pass them, following in our keel line. The hindmast light of the Equity, a small transport like our own, is indicating the course. We are now more than twenty hours en route, and the expectation as to what is awaiting us before the enemy's coast naturally keeps our imagination busy.

"Will we pass all these mine fields uninjured? Will not the batteries of Cape Hundsort and Minnas spy us before we are ready to disembark?

"The sea around the ships assume a phosphorus hue and the clouds racing through the sky now and then permit the moon to glance down on our expedition, revealing the presence of torpedo boats that chase hither and thither despite the darkness and storm and never-ceasing rain.

"Like an endless serpent, the long line of our ships winds its way silently to the coast. Men and guns are prepared for a terrific onslaught. At last a thin shimmer of light appears far in the east, but there is no sign yet of the coastline. Suddenly the mother ship of the pinnaces draws away from our lines. Immediately she is surrounded by swarms of torpedo boats. Calls and commands pierce the silence. Derricks are groaning. Chains begin to rattle.

Submarine as Extreme Outpost.

"One after another pinnaces leave the mother ship and slide into the dark waves. Meanwhile the torpedo boats have taken the lead, smaller craft guarding the flanks of our six small transports.

"Suddenly we sight a dancing light in the midst of water ahead. It is a submarine doing duty as a fire ship at the extreme outpost. We observe officers on the tower that barely rises above the water. We greet with silent reverence these brave men who have been on the watch out here all night.

"We must be quite near Oesel now, and the commandant bids our landing force to be in readiness.

"There in the gray dawn appears a strip of land, the north coast of Oesel. There is that bay twelve kilometers deep, where we shall land.

"It is now 5:20. The gray of the morning rapidly vanishes before the abruptly rising daylight that widens the horizon, while at the same time offering the enemy a spectacle of the surprise that may fill his heart with awe.

"So far as his eyes may reach, the enemy must see ships behind ship. Furthest off are the gigantic bodies of our battleships and battle cruisers that look like islands covered with smoking factories.

"In front of them stretches a long chain of the largest transports, while torpedo boats are already chasing ahead. Now they lower their pinnaces and men jump into them. Sailors are vigorously working their signal flags standing on the railings of the bridges. Signal lights appear on and disappear from the masts. All eyes are fixed on

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Report Teuton Mutiny on the Russian Front

By HAROLD WILLIAMS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 21.—German prisoners on the Dvina front speak of a mutinous movement in their army in connection with the distribution of munitions for Winter. The soldiers expressed great discontent at the prospect of another Winter campaign, and there were several cases of insubordination which were severely dealt with.

In one regiment a League of Peace was formed, professing the principles of the Russian revolution. The movement was crushed so far as concerned its outward manifestations, but the unrest continues. At the same time the "Patriotic Party" is carrying on a propaganda with great apparent success.

The prisoners report that the Winter supplies in the army service stores are greatly inferior to those of last year.

RUSSIA 'WON'T BOW TO FORCED PEACE'

All Factions at Preliminary Parliament Cheer These Words of Kerensky.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO SAILORS

But Bluntly Says He Cannot Give as Much Praise to Russia's Land Forces.

PETROGRAD, Saturday, Oct. 20.—Premier Kerensky on opening the Russian Preliminary Parliament today in the Marinsky Palace, made a ringing speech, in which he said:

"Russia wants peace by right, but we never will bow our heads to force."

This declaration was warmly applauded by the members of all political factions. The Premier, who has just recovered from his recent illness and was slightly pale, stood on a raised dais in the great audience hall. His address was largely confined to an explanation of the military situation and a declaration as to the necessity of saving the country. He said:

"We must fight only to save the country."

The Bolsheviki Left only occasionally applauded. Many members, including some of the leading Constitutional Democrats, were absent. Boxes for the American and other Entente Allied Ambassadors to Russia were reserved at the left.

Premier Kerensky in the course of his speech paid an enthusiastic tribute to the valor of the Russian sailors, but said he could not say as much for Russia's troops on land.

After his address the Premier offered the Presidential chair to Mme. Catharine Breshkovskaya, the "grandmother of the revolution," as she is the senior member of the Preliminary Parliament. She received a great ovation as temporary Chairman, and, after a speech, invited the assembly to elect its President. M. Avskentieff, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Council of Peasants' Delegates, was elected President by a majority of 288.

Mme. Breshkovskaya, in the course of her remarks, declared that the people ought to be masters of the soil they cultivate. A just solution of the agrarian question, she said, would enable the country to avoid dangerous collisions. Therefore, if the Council of the Republic sincerely desired to assist the country it should solve this problem in conformity with the exigencies of Russian history, and, she added, "let the Russian intellectual classes not oppose such a solution."

M. Avsxentieff, acknowledging his election, said that the Council of the Republic would doubtless consider the problem of promoting a democratic peace on the basis of the new development of the nations, but for some time Russia would not for an instant abandon the defense of the country, upon which the utmost effort of every citizen must be concentrated.

After the election of officials, Leon Trotzky, President of the Central Executive Committee of the Petrograd Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies, was accorded leave to address the House.

He violently attacked the Government, describing it as irresponsible and denouncing its bourgeois elements, who, by their attitude, he asserted, were causing insurrection among the peasants. Increasing the disorganization brought about by the war and trying to render the Constituent Assembly inoperative.

The Maximalists, he said, could not work with the Government or with the Preliminary Parliament, which, he added, "I am leaving to tell the workmen, soldiers, and peasants that the revolution and the people are in danger."

With cheers for a democratic peace and Constituent Assembly, all the Maximalists left the hall, the other members exclaiming: "A good journey to you."

The Central Committee of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates is protesting against the removal of the Government to Moscow. The committee declares that it will not follow the Government, but will remain in Petrograd with the revolutionary proletariat until the last moment.

The troops comprising the classes of 1896 and 1897—41 and 42 years of age—have been demobilized.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Parliamentary correspondent of The Sunday Times says that although the importance of the German naval successes in the Gulf of Riga have been greatly exaggerated the Russian position grows steadily worse, and that there is a growing fear that there is "need for revision of our financial and other commitments to our eastern ally."

TO-NIGHT—CHU CHIN CHOW.
Manhattan Opera House, at 8 Sharp.—Advt.

SURVIVORS LAND FROM ANTILLES; GUN CREW HEROIC

Navy Men Stuck to Posts to Get Shot at U-Boat Until Transport Sank.

MANY DROWNED IN BERTHS

Explosion at 6:45 A. M. Killed Engine Room Force and Men in Bunks Below.

FIFTY LEAPED INTO THE SEA

Lifeboats Spent an Hour at Rescue Work—Federal Insurance Covers Casualties.

A FRENCH PORT, Oct. 21.—Survivors of the United States transport Antilles, which was sunk by a German submarine last week when being convoyed on her homeward trip by American warships, were landed here today by auxiliary vessels and are being cared for by the American Consulate. Some of the men have been lodged in local hotels and a few have left for Paris.

The torpedo struck the ship at 6:45 o'clock on Wednesday morning. Many of those on board were killed in their berths, and others when dressing. The explosion killed the engineers, oilers, and mechanics and those of the crew who were in the bunks below.

All the survivors praise the Captain of the Antilles and the members of the gun crew who stuck to their posts while the officers searched with field glasses for the submarine until the waves closed over the ship.

When the Antilles sank forty or fifty men were at the stern. Most of these leaped fifty feet or more into the sea as the stern rose to a perpendicular position, and some were drawn down by the suction of the sinking vessel.

The submarine was not sighted either before or after the explosion. The sea was running high at the time, making it difficult to save the crew and passengers. Some survivors, clinging to debris, were in the water an hour before they were sighted by the lifeboats.

EXPECT FULL CASUALTY LIST.

Washington Officials Gratified at Landing of Survivors.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The landing of survivors of the torpedoed army transport Antilles, as reported tonight from "a French port," is expected to hasten the dispatch to Washington of the official casualty list, and a detailed account of the disaster. Admiral Sims and General Pershing have been asked for details as rapidly as they can be forwarded.

The safety of the 187 survivors was the paramount consideration with the commanders of the naval patrol vessels who effected the rescues, and it was believed by officials here that the destroyer commanders would not risk the disclosure of their position at sea by attempting to send the names of survivors by radio to England or France before the men were landed.

The unofficial report of the landing of the survivors gave much gratification to officials here, as the dispatch had to pass the censors abroad and would have been held up if considered likely to jeopardize the safety of other transports.

The statement that the naval gunners stuck to their posts while officers were trying to get a glimpse of the U-boat probably explains the loss of a number of members of the crew.

The Navy Department today gave out the full names and addresses of relatives of the three engine room officers who lost their lives on the Antilles, as follows:

BOYLE, T., junior engineer officer; next of kin, (mother,) Mrs. E. Boyle, County Louth, Ireland.

O'ROURKE, J., junior engineer officer; next of kin, (sister,) B. O'Rourke, 220 West Twenty-eighth Street, New York.

WALKER, E. A., third engineer officer; next of kin, (wife,) Mrs. E. A. Walker, 1,000 Willow Avenue, Hoboken, N. J.

All men in the military or naval service of the United States who perished or were disabled in the sinking of the Antilles came under the new soldiers and sailors' insurance law, Secretary McAdoo announced tonight. The families of the men who lost their lives or were disabled will immediately begin to receive compensation under the automatic provisions of the law, regardless of the fact that the victims had not signed applications for policies.

William C. De Lanoy, director of the War Insurance Bureau of the Treasury Department, said that, owing to the automatic insurance provision in the law $25 a month insurance would be paid to a widow, for example, for 240 months, in addition to the compensation of $25 a month, or a total of $50 a month. Were it not for the automatic insurance provision she would get only $25 a month. The money to pay both compensation and insurance is expected to come in large measure from the sale of bonds of the Second Liberty Loan.

In view of the importance of the new law to those in military and naval service and their families and dependents, the following official summary covering various cases was prepared by Director De Lanoy:

COMPENSATION FOR DEATH OR DISABILITY.

Compensation is payable for death or disability resulting from personal injury suffered in line of duty, to be paid by the United States without

contribution from the person provided.

COMPENSATION TO FAMILY IN CASE OF DEATH.

The only persons entitled to receive compensation in case of death are the widow, children, and dependent widowed mother of the deceased.

The monthly sums payable in each case are stated and are not based upon the pay of the deceased.

(a) For a widow alone, $25.

(b) For a widow and one child, $35.

(c) For a widow and two children, $40, with $5 for each additional child up to two.

(d) If there be no widow, then for one child, $20.

(e) For two children, $30.

(f) For three children, $40, with $5 for each additional child up to two.

(g) For a widowed mother, $20. The amount payable under this subdivision shall not be greater than a sum which, when added to the total amount payable to the widow and children, does not exceed $75.

Compensation to a widow or widowed mother shall continue until death or remarriage.

Compensation to a child shall cease at the age of 18, or at marriage, unless the child is incompetent.

FUNERAL ALLOWANCE.

The United States shall pay burial expenses not to exceed $100.

COMPENSATION IN CASE OF TOTAL DISABILITY. (SEC. 302.)

During the continuance of total disability, monthly compensation shall be paid to the injured person.

The amounts payable monthly are stated in this section. They are not based upon the pay of the injured person.

(a) If he has neither wife nor child living, $30.

(b) If he has a wife but no child living, $45.

(c) If he has a wife and one child living, $55.

(d) If he has a wife and two children living, $65.

(e) If he has a wife and three or more children living, $75.

(f) If he has no wife but one child living, $40, with $10 for each additional child up to two.

(g) If he has a widowed mother dependent upon him for support, then, in addition to the above amounts, $10.

To an injured person who is totally disabled, and in addition so helpless as to be in constant need of a nurse or attendant, such additional sum shall be paid, but not exceeding $20 per month, as the director may deem reasonable.

For certain specified conditions, or if the injured person is permanently bedridden, $100 monthly compensation is provided, but no allowance for a nurse shall be made.

COMPENSATION IN CASE OF PARTIAL DISABILITY.

The amount of compensation in case of partial disability is a percentage of the compensation provided in case of total disability.

The percentage is equal to the reduction in earning capacity resulting from similar injuries in civil life.

Attention is called to the very important provision of Section 305, that the United States shall furnish medical, surgical, and hospital services, and supplies, in addition to pecuniary compensation.

Officers and their dependents are also protected by the automatic insurance granted in Section 401, as follows:

AUTOMATIC INSURANCE.

Any person in active service on or after the 6th of April, 1917, is insured automatically until Feb. 12, 1918, unless he has applied for insurance to take effect at an earlier date.

The protection has given is against death and against total permanent disability occurring, while in active service, from April 6, 1917, to Feb. 12, 1918, inclusive.

Should the insured person die without having become so disabled, during the period stated monthly installments of $57 each will be paid his wife, child, or widowed mother. These installments are payable to the wife during her widowhood, or to the child or widowed mother while they survive him, but not more than 240 installments shall be so paid.

If the insured person becomes totally and permanently disabled during the period stated, he will receive an income payable in monthly installments of $25 each during disability. If he die, like installments are payable to the wife during her widowhood or to the child or widowed mother while they survive him, but not more than 240 installments less the number of installments that may have been paid to the insured while disabled shall be so paid.

Every man in active service has the opportunity of buying $10,000 insurance at extremely low rates. He or his family would get $57.50 from that amount of insurance.

Approximately seventy persons went down with the Antilles. What percentage of this total is affected by the law is unknown at present, but will be determined on receipt of advices establishing the identity of those who perished. The number of soldiers has been established definitely at sixteen, but how many of the other dead were sailors in the naval service has to be determined.

TRANSPORT SYSTEM CHANGED.

Army Will Control Troopships While in American Ports.

After several conferences at Washington between the Army and Navy Departments last week, it has been decided for the purposes of expedition and economy to transfer the control of the transports while in American ports from the naval to the military officials. The change will take place here today and the entire transport fleet, including several converted German liners, will be turned over the Major Gen. David C. Shanks, N. A., Commander of the Transport Service of the Port at Hoboken.

This means that the victualing of the ships and the command of the crews, except the navy men, will be under the control of the Quartermaster's Department of the army.

When the German steamships were seized by the Federal Government after the declaration of war against Germany sixteen of the big liners were turned over by the United States Shipping Board to the Navy Department for use as transports. Others were chartered to France, Italy and Russia, and some were retained for carrying stores to France for the American troops.

WILL MAKE THE KAISER PAY.

McAdoo in Dallas Speech Refers to the Antilles Sinking.

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 21.—Appealing to the people of Texas to support the Liberty Loan, Secretary of the Treasury William McAdoo in an address before a large audience here this afternoon said had "Germany's war plans been successful Texas again would have been under the Mexican flag." He paid tribute to Japan, which country, he said, has nobly refused to betray her allies, as disclosed in the Zimmermann note which sought to embroil Mexico and Japan into a war with the United States. In concluding his speech he said:

"You have read in the papers of the sinking of the Antilles, when seventy noble Americans perished. We are going to make the Kaiser pay for that."

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FRENCH REPULSE GERMAN ATTACKS

Break Up a Violent Assault Near Verdun and Another in the Champagne.

BIG GUN DUEL ON AISNE

It Extends Over a 9-Mile Front—British and German Artillery Active in Flanders.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—German forces last night attacked the French positions west of Mont Cornillet, in the Rheims area, those on both banks of the River Meuse, in the Verdun region, and those in the sector of La Chapelette. The French War Office reports that all the assaults were repulsed, the French capturing a number of Germans. The German attack northwest of Bezonvaux, in the Verdun sector, was especially violent, but the French suffered no loss of positions.

There was violent artillery activity on the Aisne front today.

The afternoon statement reads:

On the Aisne front there were violent artillery actions in the course of the night. An enemy munitions depot was exploded by our batteries. Our reconnoitring patrols in the region of Laffaux made prisoners.

Several enemy surprise attacks west of Mont Cornillet, on both banks of the River Meuse, and in the sector of La Chapelette were without success. The enemy left prisoners in our hands.

The night was calm on the rest of the front.

The communication issued by the War Office tonight says:

There is nothing to report except an artillery action, which at times was violent at various points along the Aisne front, especially in the region of Ailles and Cerny.

According to latest reports the enemy's surprise attack northwest of Bezonvaux, announced in the communication of this morning, was in the nature of a strong attack. After a violent engagement our troops drove back the enemy, retaining possession of their positions.

In the evening of Oct. 20 German airplanes dropped about sixty bombs in the neighborhood of Dunkirk. There were no casualties among the civilian population.

Heavy Artillery Fighting Near Ypres.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Both British and German guns displayed great activity on the Flanders front today. Irish troops captured a few German prisoners in a raid northwest of Croisilles, southeast of Arras.

The text of the official statement, issued tonight, says:

Irish troops carried out a successful raid at noon northwest of Croisilles and captured a few prisoners. Our men returned without loss.

Our patrols captured twelve prisoners this morning southeast of Polygon Wood.

There was great artillery activity today on both sides on the battle front.

The afternoon report on the operations of last night said:

There was the usual artillery activity on both sides of the battle front. There was nothing interesting to report.

Following is the text of today's official Belgian report:

Yesterday there was moderate artillery activity and bomb fighting north of Dixmude. In the course of the night one of our reconnoitring detachments raided enemy trenches north of Dixmude and brought back prisoners. Our artillery silenced a number of enemy batteries. Numerous bombs were dropped on our cantonments. North of Ypres the usual artillery activity took place.

BERLIN, Oct. 21. (British Admiralty per Wireless Press.)—The report from German Army Headquarters says that on a nine-mile front between Vauxaillon and Braye, in the Aisne region, the French last night began an artillery bombardment of the greatest violence, at times attaining drumfire, the German statement says. Infantry attacks have not yet been launched.

On the Belgian battlefront Anglo-French reconnoitring parties, after intense artillery preparation, advanced many times last night against the German positions. These detachments, the bulletin adds, were repulsed with heavy losses. The statement reads:

On the Flanders land front, there being a strong mist, there was little firing activity until evening. Before darkness came the firing was intense on the coast near Dixmude, and at some sectors on the main battlefield. Enemy reconnoitring detachments advanced many times, but were repulsed with heavy losses.

Army Group of German Crown Prince.—After a foggy and therefore quieter morning, the artillery duel increased at midday, when the visibility improved, rising from Vauxaillon as far as Braye to the greatest violence. It continued undiminished during the night, swelling many times to drumfire. Up to the present large attacks have not followed.

On the fronts of the other armies the fighting activity remained slight.

Nine enemy aviators have been brought down.

The supplementary statement issued this evening says:

In Flanders there was lively artillery activity, and northeast of Soissons a most intense artillery duel.

GERMANS RUSH GUNS TO KEEP HAIG BACK

Some From Russian Front Fire British Shells—Massed Opposite Passchendaele Ridge.

BY PHILIP GIBBS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS' HEADQUARTERS IN BELGIUM, Oct. 21.—For a week there has been "quietude" on the western front; that is to say, there have been no more great battles. The statement does not mean more than that, for all the time the guns have been slogging on, night and day—German guns and British—hurling shell fire over wide zones with violent intensity. The enemy seems always to be expecting a new attack and to be nervous about it. His artillery opens sudden bombardments before dawn and lays down a heavy barrage where he thinks the British troops may be assembling under cover of darkness. His flares go up along the line every minute of the night, to reveal any masses of men who may be moving across the No Man's Land which lies between his shell craters and the British lines—and for no reason, sometimes, except the stirring of white ghosts of mist giving gooseflesh to his sentries watching from their mudholes, the S O S light signals rocket up among the stars, calling to the German gunners with little cries of color which mean danger or despair, according to their combinations of red and green.

The German batteries are crowded very densely opposite Passchendaele Ridge. New guns of every calibre have been brought up to replace those destroyed by the British fire. Some are from the quieter parts of the western front, and some from Russia, as we know from their shells, because they are of British manufacture. They are not sparing of ammunition, and during this last week or so these great groups of artillery have been concentrated upon the British battery areas to knock out the guns and keep down the fire by gas shells at night and by high explosives at any time of the night or day. They search for the British "duck-boards" and dumps, their support lines and railways.

It is the moving forward of the British guns that they want to stop most desperately, and if there is any visibility through the Autumn mists German airplanes come out, flying as low as they dare, and often with great audacity, to spy out any battery on the move and signal its whereabouts back to their own gunners. They do not come with impunity and unchallenged; every day there are great air fights. Given anything like equal chances, the British airmen accept battle time and time again with three or four of the enemy, and escape by great cunning and greater luck, perhaps with punctured wings and broken struts and leaks in their gasoline tanks. But the German flying men hunt in packs, and sometimes there is no escape for a lone Britisher who gets into a tight corner of the sky with these wolves close upon him.

At night they come out again on bombing raids over the camps and billets. It is a horrible game of tit for tat, in which the enemy gets the worst of it, for the British have their own night raiders—monstrous birds that fly out with something like a ton of explosives tucked under their wings—and when those things drop on German docks and aerodromes and dumps and batteries they do not make small holes or destroy in a delicate way—they leave a wake of destruction and death.

So that is "quietude" on the Flanders front. There is nothing the matter with the weather now—nothing the matter with it except that it comes too late to dry the ground, and that the beauty of it is spoiled in the hearts of the men by the black spirit of war which is behind this gold and glory of the dying year.

PROBLEMS INCREASE AMID BERLIN'S JOYS

Chancellor Crisis Takes Edge Off Rejoicing Over Riga and the Loan Success.

BY GEORGE RENWICK.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 21.—The Pan German section of the German press is indulging in considerable rejoicing these days. It continues to pour out columns of self-praise regarding the operations in the Gulf of Riga, while the amount of comment devoted to the official account of the attack on the Scandinavian convoy must at length equal that served up with reference to the battle of Jutland. On top of all that comes the result of the seventh war loan, which is officially reported to be nearly 12,500,000,000 marks. With the statement of figures goes forth an official whoop of joy.

This proof of "unparalleled economic and fiancial strength," as the result is termed, is declared to be the best answer the German people can give to Wilson's note and to those of Germany's enemies who hope for her economic collapse."

All those things greatly encourage the Pan Germans, and the Fatherland Party, on the strength of them, issues a new proclamation calling for members. An interesting point of this is the statement that "the Belgian question, which is a vital one for Germany, is not to be hidden away behind Alsace-Lorraine." That is undiluted annexationist Tipitzism, especially intended to warn Kuhlmann.

But at this feast of rejoicing there was not one but several ugly skeletons which the Chancellor could not fail to notice when he returned to Berlin yesterday and which will greet the Kaiser when he reachs there tomorrow. The first is the practically general demand that Michaelis must go—a demand which extends far beyond the ranks of the majority parties.

The conference of the majority Socialists at Wirsburg, too, is no pleasant sign for the Pan Germans. It is undoubted that the conference marks an epoch, not only in German social democracy, but in German political life. For the first time an effort was made, mainly in Scheidemann's speech, to set a positive constructive statement of tasks before the Social Democratic Party and to face boldly the work of rebuilding the house of ruins on Socialist lines. The proletariat, said Scheidemann, is not a hired soldier, but an ally who is going to present his bill at the conclusion of things. They had, he said, to lead the fight for political power. They were right in it, and they stood immediately before decision.

He characterized the Chancellor as the first obstacle to their progress to be swept aside.

One must wait to see to what extent Wursburg will inspire the Socialists to act more and talk less, but the rally must certainly put more determination an dfighting spirit into them regarding their own domestic struggle, though they show that as regards the war they remain very far from what the Entente can possibly regard as a reasonable frame of mind.

TWO AMERICAN AIRMEN WIN IN AIR BATTLES

George E. Turnure, Jr., Son of a New York Banker, Is Victor on Belgian Front.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—George E. Turnure of New York, an American aviator, brought down a German biplane Wednesday in the neighborhood of Furnes, Belgium. The German was flying directly toward the German lines, but the faster speed of Turnure's machine permitted him to take a favorable position and fire into the tail of the enemy plane. After about twenty shots had been fired, the German craft fell straight to the ground inside the French lines.

Later it was learned that the same machine had previously been attacked and its observer killed and that the pilot was trying to reach his own lines when he was brought down by Turnure's guns. Turnure has just reached the age of 21.

George E. Turnure is the son of George E. Turnure of 115 East Thirty-sixth Street, of the banking firm of Lawrence Turnure & Co., 64 Wall Street.

Phelps Collins, son of Richard H. Collins of Detroit, serving with one of the French squadrons, brought down alone one of seven German machines flying in company.

Collins, returning from patrol duty, noticed puffs of shrapnel in the direction of Ypres from allied anti-aircraft guns. He flew at a great height, and found himself above seven German machines. They noticed him, and one German took position so as to be able to attack the American if he descended to engage the others. Collins flew swiftly toward the French lines as if afraid to fight. The German, satisfied that Collins had been scared away, resumed his place with the others, but Collins returned before the enemy machines noticed him, dived down, and fired into the last German machine, which doubled up and fell in flames. He escaped before the other six could fire upon him. Collins is 23 years old.

STORM OVER FOOD CRISIS.

Italy's Outgoing Controller Wants Prices Fixed by Martial Law.

ROME, Oct. 20, (delayed.)—The first week's session of Parliament ended in a stormy discussion of the food situation, in the course of which Deputy Canepa, the outgoing Food Controller, declared that the only way to regulate the national provisions problem was to place all agricultural supplies under martial law, no freedom being allowed to dealers in fixing prices. The Government, he said, should take over the issuing of all food tickets.

Italian sugar and meat consumption, Deputy Canepa stated, had been reduced 50 per cent. without injuring the public health.

RUSSIAN WORKMEN TELL PEACE PROGRAM

"Neutralization" of Panama Canal Is Among Demands of Delegates' Council.

FOR RETURNING COLONIES

Restoration of Belgium, Serbia, and Montenegro by "International Fund"—Plebiscite for Alsace.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 21.—The Russian peace program as drawn up by the Central Executive Committee of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates in the form of instructions to M. Skobeleff, ex-Minister of Labor, its delegate to the Paris conference, consists of fifteen articles covering the whole ground from Panama to Persia. Article XI. demands the "neutralization" of the Panama Canal, and Article IX. calls for the restitution of all colonies to Germany. The program of the Central Executive Committee follows:

"First—Evacuation by the Germans of Russia, and autonomy of Poland, Lithuania, and the Lettish provinces.

"Second—Autonomy of Turkish Armenia.

"Third—Solution of the Alsace-Lorraine question by a plebiscite, the voting being arranged by local civil authorities after the removal of all the troops of both belligerents.

"Fourth—Restoration to Belgium of her ancient frontiers and compensation for her losses from an international fund.

"Fifth—Restoration of Serbia and Montenegro with similar compensation. Serbia to have access to the Adriatic. Bosnia and Herzegovina to be autonomous.

"Sixth—Disputed Balkan districts to receive provisional autonomy, followed by a plebiscite.

"Seventh—Rumania to be restored her old frontiers on condition that she grant Dobrudja autonomy and grant equal rights to Jews.

"Eighth—Autonomy for the Italian provinces of Austria to be followed by a plebiscite.

"Ninth—Restitution of all colonies to Germany.

"Tenth—Re-establishment of Greece and Persia.

"Eleventh—Neutralization of all straits leading to inner seas and also the Suez and Panama Canals. Freedom of navigation for merchant ships. Abolition of the right to torpedo merchant ships in war time.

"Twelfth—All belligerents to renounce war contributions or indemnities in any form, but the money spent on the maintenance of prisoners and all contributions levied during the war to be returned.

"Thirteenth—Commercial treaties not to be based on the peace treaty; each country may act independently with respect to its commercial policy, but all countries to engage to renounce an economic blockade after the war.

"Fourteenth—The conditions of peace should be settled by a peace congress consisting of delegates elected by the people and confirmed by Parliament. Diplomatists must engage not to conclude separate treaties, which hereby are declared contrary to the rights of the people, and consequently void.

"Fifteenth—Gradual disarmament by land and sea, and the establishing of a non-military system."

The instructions to M. Skobeleff end by recommending him to seek to remove all obstacles to the meeting of the Stockholm conference, and to secure the granting of passports.

SET RUSSIAN 'PRINCE' FREE.

Secret Service Agens Question de Roudakow and Then Apologize.

Michael de Roudakow, said to be a Russian Prince, and at one time Russian Military Attaché in Berlin, was questioned by Secret Service agents yesterday. For some time Roudakow has been living at the Hotel Nassau, 52 East Fifty-ninth Street. It was there that the agents of the Government found him Saturday night and asked him to accompany them to the office of Captain William M. Offley, of the Department of Justice. The fact that the Russian had a passport made out in duplicate, one in the French and the other in the German language, is said to have been the reason for the action taken by the Government agents.

After questioning Roudakow for some time the agents apologized for the trouble they had occasioned and told him there was no reason for his detention. Roudakow then went to the home of his friend, the Rev. John von Herlich, rector of St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church at Eleventh Avenue and Eightieth Street, Brooklyn.

NEARLY 300 MEN LOST IN THE NORTH SEA RAID

London and Christiania Tell of Scores Dead on Convoyed Ships.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—One hundred and fifty lives were lost on Wednesday, when five Norwegian, one Danish, and three Swedish vessels were sunk by two German raiders in the North Sea.

CHRISTIANIA, Oct. 21.—The Aftenposten has definitely ascertained that sixteen Norwegians, seventeen Swedes and eighty-seven Englishmen were killed in the convoy action on Wednesday, but adds that the total number is probably much greater. The entire crew of one steamer, consisting of eleven men, were all killed except the Captain. Twenty men from the Wistur were saved, but of the crew of the Wikander only the Captain and the third officer were saved. The remaining seventeen are believed to have been killed. Of this number three were women.

These figures of casualties probably do not include the losses on warships.

The British Admiralty statement on Saturday said 135 officers and men of the British destroyers Mary Rose and Strongbow were lost when those two vessels were sunk by the raiders. The Mary Rose and the Strongbow were convoying the merchantmen.

NEW OFFICERS ARRIVE.

Many of the Reserve Reach France for Intensive Training.

By The Associated Press.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Oct. 21.—A big contingent of reserve officers which recently reached France has been split into several intensive schools, at which the officers are supplementing their instruction at Plattsburg, McPherson, and other training camps in America.

The officers are being trained in every detail of war operations. When their training is complete they will be distributed among the various divisions as they arrive.

In 1780

The French Comte de Rochambeau said to the President of the American Congress:

"We are your brothers, and we shall act as such with you; we shall fight your enemies by your side as if we were one and the same Nation."

In 1917

We send France the same Message. Now let us also say:

"We will send you our money, our food, our men!"

Think of Your Loved Ones under Teuton Domination like the People of Belgium, and other Conquered Territories!

Think of Yourself as a Slave to a Teuton Autocracy!

Then Remember, that Our Brave Soldiers Are Fighting to Protect Your Mothers, Wives, Children, Sweethearts and Your Lives, Your Happiness, Your Property,—Everything!!!

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TIGER ATTACKS SOCIALISTS

Tammany's "Wrecking Crews" Sent Across All the Bridges to Break Up Their Meetings.

Judge John F. Hylan, Tammany candidate for Mayor, will win by a plurality exceeding 175,000, and Mayor Mitchel will run fourth in the race, according to an estimate of the vote made public last night at headquarters of the Democratic Fusion Committee. According to the Democratic Fusion figures, Morris Hillquit, the Socialist candidate for Mayor, will get second place in the race.

James E. MacBride, Executive Secretary of the Democratic Fusion Committee, in making public the forecast said it was based on reports covering every Assembly district in the city which had been received at the headquarters of the committee. According to Mr. MacBride, the reports indicate that the vote will be divided as follows:

John F. Hylan	314,000
Morris Hillquit	138,500
William M. Bennett	121,000
John Purroy Mitchel	114,500

"Judge Hylan will carry every borough in the city," said Mr. MacBride. "In my estimate nothing can happen between now and Election Day to affect the final result or materially change the figures. We have made a careful investigation in every borough, though it has not been a house to house canvass."

According to a further estimate of the vote by boroughs, Mayor Mitchel would get a bigger vote in Manhattan, Tammany's stronghold, than in any of the other boroughs in Manhattan, according to the figures, Mayor Mitchel would run ahead of Bennett, while in Brooklyn and Queens he would run behind him. In the Bronx and Richmond Mayor Mitchel and Bennett would run neck and neck. Here are the figures by boroughs:

Manhattan.

Hylan	100,000
Hilliquit	75,000
Mitchel	50,000
Bennett	30,000

Brooklyn.

Hylan	125,000
Bennett	60,000
Mitchel	40,000
Hilliquit	23,000

Bronx.

Hylan	50,000
Hilliquit	20,000
Mitchel	15,000
Bennett	15,000

Queens.

Hylan	30,000
Hilliquit	15,000
Bennett	12,000
Mitchel	8,000

Richmond.

Hylan	9,000
Bennett	4,000
Mitchel	1,500
Hilliquit	1,500

The estimate of the committee does not take into consideration the soldier vote, which it is estimated will aggregate something like 60,000 at Camp Upton, Camp Spartansburg, and "somewhere in France and England." It covers practically all of the registration in the city, and does not take into account that approximately 10 per cent. of voters who register either are prevented from voting or do not take the trouble to go to the polls on Election Day. Mr. MacBride said the volume of the soldier vote would about offset this defection.

The work of checking the Socialist trend, which the Hylan campaign managers profess to fear more than they fear Mitchel, has been left to Tammany Hall, and has been energetically under way for a week or more. In this process the Tiger has found it necessary not only to "cross the bridge" in the original sense of that political phrase which contemplated an incursion into Brooklyn, but literally all bridges. Every night a dozen or more automobiles, filled with open-air orators, are sent from the Wigwam in Fourteenth Street to harangue crowds in boroughs not within Tammany's own political bailiwick. These nightly expeditions reach even the remote suburban sections of the city, and the instructions of the Tammany "wrecking crews" are to so arrange their open-air speaking that the crowds may be diverted from the Socialist open-air campaigners and their meetings broken up.

At the headquarters of the Hillquit Campaign Committee, in the People's House, at 7 East Fifteenth Street, Secretary Usher Solomon of the Socialist State Committee, who is conducting the campaign in this city, said last night that the Socialists were well aware of what the "wrecking crews" were about, but that it did not worry them in the least.

"As the campaign enters upon the last two weeks," said Mr. Solomon, "reports we have received from all parts of the city Saturday night and today show that Mr. Hillquit's strength is increasing beyond our expectations. The swing to the Socialist candidates is gaining in momentum every day. We have received information that indicates an overwhelming rush to our ticket and our platform during the last two weeks of the campaign.

"We have learned that secret Tammany reports from the district leaders confirm our own reports that Mitchel and Bennett are hopelessly out of the race and that the fight is now for a straight-out, old-fashioned Tammany administration, with all that that implies, and the sort of an administration Hillquit and his fellow candidates could give this city. While Hylan, Bennett, and Mitchel are engaged in bespattering one another with exceedingly stinky mud, Hillquit is appealing to the voters frankly on the issues of the campaign and is getting a tremendous response from citizens of all classes."

The present week will see intensive campaigning of all the forces opposed to Mitchel. William M. Bennett, the Republican nominee, who, so far, has devoted more attention to Brooklyn than to any other borough, will make Manhattan his battleground. His first big rally will be at Cooper Union on Wednesday night. Before the week is over, it was predicted at Bennett headquarters in the Barthol'i Building last night, a number of Republican district leaders in this city would come over to Mr. Bennett. Some have already offered to open their clubhouses to him for meeting purposes.

In the meantime it is expected that the Republican district organization in the Twelfth Assembly District in Brooklyn, where United States Senator William M. Calder is the leader, will indorse Mr. Bennett's candidacy, at a meeting to be held this evening, even though Senator Calder is an out-and-out Mitchel man. John T. Rafferty, nominee for Register of Kings on the Mitchel Fusion as well as the Republican ticket, and a member of the Calder organization in Kings, has already come out for Bennett.

Preparations for carrying the Mayoralty fight down to the drafted men at Camp Upton this week are being made at the headquarters of the Democratic Fusion Committee. Senator James A. Foley, who represents the district of Charles F. Murphy at Albany, opened headquarters for Judge Hylan at Camp Upton on Saturday afternoon. Hylan headquarters have also been established at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg. These will be used for the distribution of campaign literature and for the organization of the drafted men by company units. Elaborate preparations are made by the Hylan campaign managers for a large corps of watchers for election day. The soldier vote will be polled under military supervision. Men who have been sent across by the Secretary of State will act merely as custodians of the ballots after these have been polled. Under the new law governing the taking of the soldier and sailor vote, the Democratic and Republican State Committees both are entitled to have a representative present to watch the count. The Democratic State Committee sent a representative abroad several days ago. Congressman James S. Parker of Washington County sailed on an American steamship on Saturday for a European port on a similar mission for the Republican State organization.

Announcement was made yesterday that the Collegiate League for Hillquit, an association of college graduates, independent of any political party, had been organized for the purpose of aiding Hillquit propaganda among college men and students of municipal affairs. Among the organizers are J. A. H. Hopkins, former Chairman of the Progressive State Committee of New Jersey; Dr. Henry Neumann, Mrs. Herbert Parsons, whose husband is Republican National Committeeman from this State; Dr. James P. Warbasse, Professor Evans Clark, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. Adele Lewisohn, Mrs. Nina Wilcox Putnam, Randolph Bourne, Darwin J. Merserole, E. W. Huebsch, Eugene Boissevain, James Oppenheim, and the Rev. Norman Thomas.

In an address sent out yesterday the league declares that the only hope to defeat Tammany lies in electing Hillquit, and that the vote for him, in addition, will be "a protest against anti-American policies no less of the Federal than the city administration."

SEE SWING TO MITCHEL.

Fusion Managers Admit Heavy Gains by Hilliquit.

Indications are plentiful that the independent vote is swinging strongly to Mitchel, according to the Fusion managers, who will begin their final campaign drive today. They assert that confidential reports show Tammany strength rapidly waning, and that while Morris Hillquit is gaining more rapidly than any other candidate, the Mitchel swing is apparent all over the city.

"The week begins with an ever-increasing movement toward Mitchel," said Chairman Emory R. Buckner yesterday. "The independent voter holds the balance of power and will decide this election, and the independent voter is coming to Mitchel every day. Independent voters of the Republican organization, realizing that a vote for Bennett is a vote for Murphy, have repudiated Bennett and are supporting Mitchel. Independent voters of the regular Democratic organization are fleeing from Hylan to Mitchel."

Former Governor William Sulzer offered yesterday to debate the campaign issues with either Judge Hylan, William M. Bennett, or Morris Hillquit, or meet all three in a battle royal.

"Mayor Mitchel is gaining every day," said Mr. Sulzer. "Mr. Hylan is losing every day, and will come in, when the votes are counted, a poor third, with Bennett, like the Queen's yacht—nowhere. The mayoralty contest is resolving itself into a contest between Mayor Mitchel and Mr. Hillquit. There is no doubt that the Socialist candidate is going to poll a tremendous vote. Every experienced political observer can read the signs as clearly as I can read them."

The Public Welfare Committee, which is conducting an educational campaign regarding the work of the Fusion administration, made this announcement:

"The committee, on which are associated representative citizens appreciative of the great betterment reached in the Police, Fire, Corrections and other departments in the last four years, is nightly sending out through the city motor truck exhibits by means of which the citizen can visualize the work that has been accomplished. To assist and interpret this appeal to the eye, capable speakers accompany the trucks to explain what is shown and clinch the arguments for keeping this work in the constructive hands of Mayor Mitchel.

"The committee has 200 films, prepared by a leading motion picture company, with a view to lecture tours to the various institutions conducted by the city, depicting the daily lives of city dependents and the modern methods of treatment, also the work of the Police and Fire Departments.

"At present four trucks are showing selected reels nightly to crowds of interested spectators. There is a small band with each truck crew. Before the week is over, it is expected that eight or more will be in commission."

Mayor Mitchel is scheduled to speak at five meetings today. At 11:15 this morning he will address a meeting of Methodist clergymen at 150 Fifth Avenue. In the evening he will deliver four speeches, at the Central Branch of the Y. M. C. A., 55 Hanson Place, Brooklyn, at 8:30; Sesas Hall, 40 Union Street, Brooklyn, at 9:15; Prospect Hall, Prospect Avenue, near Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, at 9:30, and at Kismet Temple, Herkimer Street, near Nostrand Avenue, at 10:20.

John Kirkland Clark will be the principal speaker at a noonday meting to be held in the Jewelers-Fusion headquarters, 11 John Street. A noonday meeting of the Commercial Travelers and Business Men's Mitchel League will be held at 537 Broadway.

CITIZENS UNION SELECTIONS

Candidates for Assembly in All Boroughs Indorsed.

The Citizens Union has made public its indorsement of candidates for members of Assembly. Candidates are indorsed in nine of the twenty-three districts in New York County, six in the eight districts of the Bronx, six in Kings and two in Queens. Two candidates are indorsed for the vacancy in the State Senate to be filled from the Seventeenth District, New York County, as a result of the resignation of Ogden L. Mills. Of the Senatorial candidates the indorsement says:

COURTLANDT NICOLL, (Rep.)—As an Alderman, was a leader in clearing the way for a series of long-delayed reforms, in the Constitutional Convention of 1915 he served intelligently and helpfully.

SILAS BLAKE AXTELL, (Dem.)—Has never held an elective office. He is a student of government and has an excellent comprehension of pending problems. He would be of service in any legislative body.

These are the Assembly indorsements:

New York County.

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ABRAM ELLENBOGEN, (Rep.,) Seventh District—His four years of legislative experience, coupled with natural ability, makes him a very valuable member of the Assembly.

ABNER GREENBERG, (Rep.,) Eighth District—Served during the last session and quickly acquired a good conception of his duties. He has shown independence and deserves support.

ELIOT TUCKERMAN, (Rep.,) Tenth District—A man of mature judgment and excellent reputation. He should make a good legislator.

WILLIAM C. AMOS, (Rep.,) Eleventh District—Is thoroughly qualified for legislative office. Mr. Amos is a man of learning and wide experience in civil affairs.

SCHUYLER M. MEYER, (Rep.,) Fifteenth District—Has developed unusual initiative and ability. He took an active part the last session, making an enviable record.

HAROLD S. RUDNER, (Rep.,) Seventeenth District—Is a young attorney who has an excellent educational training and understands the pending legislative problems. He is the preferable candidate in this district.

HAROLD C. MITCHELL, (Rep.,) Twenty-first District—Is a useful member who has done much good work in the two sessions in which he has taken part.

SAMUEL W. TANNENBAUM, (Rep.,) Twenty-second District—Bears an excellent reputation in his district. He is intelligent and has a good grasp of legislative matters.

Bronx County.

EARL H. MILLER, (Dem.,) First District—The value of Assemblyman Miller's work has steadily increased and he is clearly entitled to indorsement for re-election.

ROBERT S. MULLEN, (Dem.,) Third District—Is a young lawyer of promise, with a keen insight into current problems. He should make a very good Assemblyman.

M. MALDWIN FERTIG, (Dem.,) Fourth District—Is one of the Assembly's most capable and independent members. He has been a forceful advocate of desirable measures and is the sort of representative needed.

WILLIAM E. EVANS, (Dem.,) Fifth District—Has maintained during another year his record for independent and intelligent action and should be continued in office.

JOSEPH V. McKEE, (Dem.,) Seventh District—Has had valuable training as a teacher and public speaker. He seems the preferable candidate in this district.

JOHN G. O'REILLY, (Rep.,) Eighth District—Is an attorney of excellent reputation and sound views on important subjects he would be likely to consider as an Assemblyman.

Kings County.

JAMES H. CAULFIELD, JR., (Rep.,) Fifth District—Has been conscieutious and alert in the discharge of his duties during his first term and merits continuance in office.

JOHN H. DONLAN, (Dem.,) Eleventh District—Has never held public office, but has followed the progress of governmental affairs and holds very definite and sound views concerning them.

WILLIAM T. SIMPSON, (Rep.,) Twelfth District—Four years' experience has developed natural ability and he has become a well equipped member.

MARSHALL SNYDER, (Rep.,) Eighteenth District—We find Mr. Snyder the preferable candidate because of the close study he has made of legislative matters and the sound judgment he has developed.

AUGUST C. FLAMMAN, (Rep.,) Twentieth District—During four sessions Assemblyman Flamman has rendered intelligent and valuable service.

WILFRED E. YOUKER, (Rep.,) Twenty-first District—His services in his first year in the Assembly became of immediate and substantial value. The district is fortunate in having the opportunity to continue him as its representative.

Queens County.

PETER A. LEININGER, (Dem.,) First District—Has been of service to his district outside the Legislature and his first year's record at Albany contained good features.

FRANK E. HOPKINS, (Rep.,) Fourth District—Possesses ability and is highly regarded in his district. With further experience, he should become a useful legislator.

The indorsements are based upon the recommendations of the union's City-wide Committee on Local Candidates.

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CRAIG SAYS ODORS BOTHERED REYNOLDS

Declares Removal of Garbage Plant to Staten Island Was for Ex-Senator's Benefit.

BARREN ISLAND CLEANED

Tammany's Candidate for Controller Says Deal Was Made to Improve Property at Rockaway.

What he declared to be new evidence that the removal of the garbage disposal plant to Staten Island was planned to benefit ex-Senator Reynolds and other real estate men who had already profited by other real estate deals with the city, was offered last night by Charles L. Craig, the Democratic candidate for Controller. He spoke at a dinner at the Harmonie Club, 10 East Sixteenth Street, given by B. F. Wollman in honor of Judge John F. Hylan.

Mr. Craig charged that ex-Senator Reynolds and others who were interested in such Rockaway Point property as they had retained after selling Seaside Park to the city found that they could not sell it at as high prices as they wished, because of odors wafted over from Barren Island, and that a scheme was hatched to kill two birds with one stone by deodorizing the Rockaway Point lots and by making a big profit in providing the new disposal plant for the city at Staten Island.

Mr. Craig quoted from newspaper accounts of hearings at Albany in regard to the proposed Staten Island plant to prove that William M. Greve, President of the Neponsit Realty Company, which has been accused of making a vast profit by trickery in connection with the Rockaway Point land transactions with the city, had admitted that the new garbage proposals were worth $10,000,000 to private interests. Arguing that the city would have to compensate these private interests, if they blocked the Staten Island plan, Mr. Creve said, according to the quotation:

"It (the City of New York) will have to pay us also what our profit would be for the period the contract is to run. This will total at the very smallest estimate $10,000,000. So it would seem that the city is right up against it if it lets the State run its affairs and abrogates our contracts, and there will be no way out of it. If the Legislature cancels the contract, the city will have to pay for it."

On Feb. 21, 1917, Mr. Greve "blurted out," according to Mr. Craig, the following statement at Albany, which was quoted in the newspapers:

"There is no veiled reason for giving us the Barren Island plant. We own great properties in the Jamaica Bay section. The Barren Island plant is ours and it impairs our property. Therefore we want to give it up. The Staten Island plant will injure no man's property. That is the whole thing in a nutshell. Now the city can fight it out to suit itself. We can't lose either way."

Mr. Craig offered to bet that the clause in the garbage disposal contract which provided that it should be located on sites outside of the Borough of Manhattan and outside of the confines of Jamaica Bay had been inserted in the office of ex-Senator Reynolds, after the Corporation Counsel had passed on the document.

Mr. Craig asserted that the press and public scrutiny in general had been muzzled cleverly by the present administration by the employment of all "the professional and semi-professional critics of municipal government." He said that there had never been an administration which had so sedulously avoided publicity regarding all large and important transactions before the Board of Estimate. He said that burglary insurance companies had been forced to raise burglary insurance rates during this administration and that the organization of the insurance companies had reported a great increase of burglaries, particularly of business firms, while Arthur Woods has been Police Commissioner.

"But have you read about this in the newspapers?" he asked. "Very little or nothing. If the critics had been free-handed and not all employed by the administration, if the press had not been lined up in favor of the administration, do you think that a fact so important to the welfare of the community as the great increase in burglaries would have escaped notice? Do you think that a police administration with such a record would under other conditions be lauded openly by administration supporters?"

Judge Hylan spoke briefly, saying that he wanted the co-operation of business men, if elected. Sheriff Smith, District Attorney Swann, and other candidates spoke.

SWANN ANSWERS MITCHEL.

Not Authority for Statement That Hylan Acted for Goslin.

District Attorney Swann last night sent the following letter to Mayor Mitchel:

Oct. 21, 1917.

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel,

Mayor.

Sir: This morning's (Sunday) papers quote you as citing me as an authority for your statement that Judge Hylan acted as attorney for one Goslin about fourteen years ago, when he was a practicing lawyer. I have no knowledge or information of such matters except as I read it in The New York World and I have since learned that The World's statement is incorrect.

I exhibited a list of reputable and prominent members of the bar who had been retained by Goslin to act as his attorney, in many instances appearing in the public records. In fact, he seems to have always retained reputable lawyers to act for him.

Very truly EDWARD SWANN.

William M. Greve named by District Attorney Swann as a member of the party of "Jolly Vagabonds," said yesterday that Mr. Swann told an untruth, and that he, Mr. Greve, did not participate in any expedition to Europe with Mr. Mitchel and Senator Reynolds.

Mr. Swann said I went to Europe with Mayor Mitchel and ex-Senator Reynolds," Mr. Greve declared. "That is an absolute falsehood."

GRASS FIRE AT CAMP MILLS.

Military Police and Local Firemen Called to Fight Blaze.

CAMP MILLS, MINEOLA, L. I., Oct. 21.—A general fire call was sounded in the camp of the Texas supply train and other units of the Rainbow division here today when fire was discovered near the tents of the Third Foreign Detachment of the Signal Corps in the aviation field.

Military police and detachments of volunteer firemen from Westbury and Hempstead fought the fire in the dry grass, and prevented it from reaching an inn and other camps near by. After the firemen had left the grass caught fire again from a smoldering rope, but the military police put it out quickly. The damage was slight, but the military authorities are investigating. No tent or equipment was lost.

NICKEL FARE MITCHEL LIMIT.

Tells Synagogue Forum Transfers Shall Not Be Charged For.

Mayor Mitchel last night defended his administration at the forum of the Free Synagogue, 38 West Sixty-eighth Street, going into detail with regard to the work of the various departments in the last four years, and reiterated the charge that the three moral issues of the campaign were Murphy, Hylan, and Hearst. The bulk of his audience appeared to be with him from the start, though rather distrustful of the Gary schools and they cheered loudly his declaration that "Mr. Hearst would probably be supporting me tonight, instead of lying about me, if I had consented to do all the things he wanted me to do while I have been in office."

Walter S. Hellman, Chairman of the meeting, read from a weekly magazine the query, "Has Mayor Mitchel governed the city in the interest of the rich?" and asked the Mayor if he could make his speech in line with the answer to that question. Mr. Mitchel began with an appeal to the testimony of Dr. Stephen S. Wise, rabbi of the Free Synagogue, who was not present. "I believe," he said, "that if your pastor were here he would be able to cite to you from his own experience and recollection evidence contrary to the view that this administration has been conducted in the interests of big business and the rich.

"The great moral issue," the Mayor continued, "is in the contrast between the government which Murphy means and has always given the city, and a government conceived in honesty and dedicated to the service of the people." Then he went over various phases of the work of the administration, beginning with the conciliation of the cloakmakers' strikes. "Today," he said, "the Manufacturers' Association of Cloakmakers have organized a league for the support of the candidacy of Judge Hylan in protest against the activity of the Mayor in securing a just and fair consideration of the grievances of the men in that case."

He told how, in the street car strike of last year, he had refused to put policemen on the cars "to club the strikers into subjection," the old Tammany method of dealing with the strike," and said that because he insisted that he would protect peaceful picketers as well as protect property against the strikers he had been threatened with an appeal to the Governor. Reduction of rates of public service corporations were taken up, and the Mayor said: "We protested against the application of the street railways for an increase of fare and for a charge for transfers. The increase will never be granted in this city and my administration will fight any such proposition wherever it appears." The work of the Fire Prevention Bureau and the Department of Licenses in safeguarding workers was another point which the Mayor emphasized in defending the administration against the charge of being operated in the interest of the rich and against the wage earner.

HILLQUIT HAS WAR THEORY.

Says Germans Would Have Risen Against Kaiser Had We Kept Out.

The Hohensollern dynasty would have been overthrown several months ago by the German people if the United States had not entered the war, said Morris Hillquit, Socialist candidate for Mayor, last night before 200 east side citizens assembled in the Friends' Meeting House, 144 East Twentieth Street.

"Before the United States entered the war the German people were very much in revolt against their rulers," he said. "My own belief is the Kaiser and the Junker Party thought they could save their dynasty by diverting the people's mind to dangers abroad. With the democratic example of Russia and the suffering of the German people themselves, the German nation would have risen against the Kaiser but for our interference. The Germans hate the Kaiser as much as we do. In making our campaign against the continuance of the war, we Socialists are really performing a patriotic service."

Hillquit denounced recent police invasion of Socialist meetings, suppression of foreign language periodicals which attacked the Administration, and the search of private houses by Secret Service men as acts as autocratic as those of Czar of Russia. Asked by a heckler how he would handle a street car strike if Mayor, Mr. Hillquit answered that he would make the police protect the workers, even when the latter were picketing.

"The police shouldn't be obliged to act merely as scab-protectors, as they are generally obliged to do. It is an insult to the police to make them do this," Mr. Hillquit said.

LONDON DISCUSSES WAR.

Socialists Fail to Applaud When He Demands Belgium's Restoration.

Congressman Meyer London addressed a crowd of 2,000 Socialists who jammed the Park View Palace, Fifth Avenue and 110th Street, yesterday afternoon after a similar number had been unable to obtain admission. About 1,500 were accommodated on a lower floor and Mr. London addressed the overflow gathering afterward. In the course of his speech Congressman London said:

"Socialists cannot afford to see the war ended until Belgium has been restored, until every German soldier has been removed from the revolutionary territory of revolutionary France, the France that the world loves, the France that gave the world a revolution, that gave the world the cry of liberty, equality, and fraternity; the France that gave the world the 'Marseillaise.'"

Socialists, Mr. London asserted, could not declare that they were indifferent to the outcome of the war. At first the Socialists hoped the war would end in a draw, he said, so that the people of the nations might turn on their rulers, but he contended that that position has changed, and Socialists today could not afford to see the war end until Belgium had been restored.

"The war cannot end until every inch of territory occupied in 1914 has been restored and returned," he said. "The war cannot end until some basis has been found whereby a recurrence of the tragedy would be impossible."

"Let us be plain, clean, and honest about it," continued Mr. London. "We do not want the Socialist vote to be interpreted as a vote for the Kaiser gang. But we want very Socialist to have the courage to speak the truth no matter at what cost."

Although the Socialist Congressman received rousing applause at the beginning and end of his address, there was no applause attendant on his war utterances. Most of the applause followed his denunciation of capitalists, and his reference to the local campaign, where he said the voters had to choose whether they would be "hit over the head by a lantern-jawed Tammany Hall bum or by a clean young man representing Wall Street's interests, armed with a club wrapped in silk."

The war references in London's speech were received with mutterings by several young men in the rear, one of whom remarked audibly that the speaker "ought to be read out of the party like Charles Edward Russell."

August Claessens, Socialist candidate for Assembly in the Seventeenth District, who followed Mr. London, said he agreed with him in the view that the increase in the Socialist vote would not "push back the hand of the draft, but he felt that the "forces of reaction which are trying to make the country safe for hypocrisy" would be stopped only by one power, an increase in the Socialist vote.

"Many of us disagree with Mr. London," said Mr. Claessens, "but he has a right to his personal opinion. He gave vent to certain sentiments that were not socialistic, but they were his, and I want to say that he has a perfect right to say what he likes, for no Socialist is controlled by the organization."

MURPHY THE ISSUE, MAYOR DECLARES

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...ence to Judge Hylan's conduct as a magistrate in the statement that 'it is useless for the police to do their duty only to be thwarted by ignorant or dishonest judicial rulings.'

"It was inevitable that after Mr. Hearst and Mr. Murphy saw their candidate's past exposed they should endeavor to muddy the waters by fantastic attacks upon me. The length to which they are willing to proceed is illustrated by Judge Swann's attempt to portray me as visiting Europe in company with a riotous party, when, as a matter of fact, Judge Swann knows that I went to Europe with Mrs. Mitchel and did not see any of the people he mentions during my stay there.

"The only pleas that personalities have in this campaign is to show the fitness or unfitness of a candidate to occupy the post of Mayor. That post I have occupied for four years. My fitness for Mayor is a matter which the public is able to decide from its own experience. Murphy and Hearst now ask the public to reject the administration they have had for a return to Murphy government under John F. Hylan, the measure of whose fitness is found in the recent exposures of his personal and professional past."

MUST BEAT MURPHY, MORGENTHAU SAYS

Ex-Ambassador Comes Out for Mitchel at This Time of Danger.

LIKENS TIGER TO KAISER

Fears Tammany, If It Gets Grip on City, Will Hamper National Government.

Henry Morgenthau, ex-Ambassador to Turkey, who spoke last night at a meeting of 1,500 persons at Pacific Hall, 209 East Broadway, asked himself the question, "Why am I, a Democrat, in favor of the election of Mayor Mitchel?" and then replied:

"Because the tiger is trying to regain control of the municipal Government. Tammany Hall is like the Kaiser, and if once the tiger does get back into power again the Tammany bosses and other bosses will combine and make an effort to get control of the National Government."

Mr. Morgenthau said that the fight this election was not between Mayor Mitchel and Judge Hylan, but between Mayor Mitchel and Morris Hillquit. He urged that it was the duty of Jews as patriots to vote for Mayor Mitchel. The former Ambassador attacked the stand taken by the Socialist Party and its leaders on the war, and asserted that "President Wilson is the greatest Socialist in the world today."

"I have had the unusual opportunity of witnessing this titantic world struggle. I saw what was going on in the German Embassy in Constantinople and witnessed all of the intrigues of Germany in trying to bring Turkey into the struggle. I know that the present war was not an accident, but was premeditated long before the first outbreak—it had been planned and schemed decades before.

"It began with the displacement of Bismarck by the Kaiser, who was not satisfied with having Prussia one of the six great world powers, because he wanted it to be the master power. There was envolved in his mind a scheme to master the world. He had twenty-three lines of railroads ready to send troops from the Russian front to France. His navy was ready and the submarines prepared.

"At the famous meeting in Potsdam, when all was in readiness for war, the only ones to hesitate were the financiers. They asked for time in which to sell securities and make loans. From that day on war was determined upon. Every part for war was ready and every man waited for the pushing of the button that was to set the big war machine in readiness to roll upon the world.

"He told of what he had seen when he visited devastated France. He told of the spirit of the French and English troops who stood ready to sacrifice their lives.

"Before the war, in Constantinople, he said, he had received complaints that our sailors had been insulted and threatened by German officers. He went to the German Ambassador and told him the next officer that insulted one of our sailors would receive a thrashing. From that time the insults from the German officers ceased.

"This struggle in the world and in New York, he said, is to stamp out absolutism and autocracy."

JUSTICE ORDWAY INDORSED.

Bar Association Committee Recommends That He Be Re-elected.

The Committee on Judiciary of the Bar Association of New York City has indorsed the candidacy of Justice Samuel H. Ordway for re-election. While praising Judge John V. McAvoy, Tammany candidate for Supreme Court Justice, it concludes that his discourtesy to members of the bar is justification for withholding its indorsement. After stating that Justice Ordway as Civil Service Commissioner and Assistant District Attorney has been shown to be "unusually able," the report says:

"In his professional career Justice Ordway had long shown unmistakable fitness and qualifications for important judicial office, and in 1906 the judiciary nominators, representing over 2,500 members of the Bar of the City of New York, nominated Mr. Ordway as a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court. In the judgment of your committee Justice Ordway has shown himself to be eminently qualified for the high office of Justice of the Supreme Court, and it therefore recommends that his candidacy be approved and indorsed by the association."

PENROSE LEADS REPUBLICAN REVOLT

Denounces Party Lawlessness at Primary and Declares for Town Meeting Candidates.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Oct. 21.—Senator Penrose, in a statement issued tonight, denounces the recent Fifth Ward primary lawlessness and the part taken in it by the Republican city administration and declares for the town meeting independent candidates for City Councils.

"The irrefutable evidence," says the Senator in his statement, "shows that this crime was committed under the guidance and protection of officers of the municipality. Thus the sworn guardians of the lives and liberty of the people became instead the protectors of hired murderers.

"The Fifth Ward for days was like a Mexican city in the hands of brutal bandits. The police force was deliberately degraded into participation in the lawlessness. The honest and decent members of that force, in all parts of the city, are unjustly disgraced by the Fifth Ward butchery. The only way to redress the wrong done to the reputable policemen of the city (and they comprise a large majority of the force) is to repudiate and punish the faithless leaders under whose control the deadly deeds were done. Justice is not properly administered when it falls only upon the agents and not the leaders of crime.

"And it must not be overlooked that the assaults and police interference in the Fifth Ward are only an example of similar occurrences in nearly every ward in the city at the time of the recent primary. Wherever needed, brutal policemen were employed with the sanction and under the direction of official authorities, and the employes of the several departments were driven to the basest methods to coerce, control and obstruct the electors.

"The purpose of the conspiracy to commit murder had especially in view the securing of a two-thirds vote in Select and Common Councils, to furnish a complete control over appropriations. Prompt action must be taken to curb this maladministration by the election of Councilmen who will halt its wasteful and destructive course before the city, the citizens, and the street railway passengers become hopelessly engulfed in the mire which menaces them.

"This can be done by the election of the Town Meeting (independent) candidates and by the defeat of contractor-controlled candidates for City Councils. For the good name of Philadelphia and for the honor of the Republican Party I earnestly hope to see the contractor candidates overwhelmed by defeat at the polls."

Senator Penrose advises the Republicans of Philadelphia that they "are not bound by any tie or obligation to support the county and ward tickets technically styled 'Republican' at the approaching election."

The Town Meeting Party was organized at a recent mass meeting held to protest against the Republican factional row in the Fifth Ward, which culminated in the killing of a policeman by New York gunmen on primary election day, Sept. 19. Mayor Smith and eight others, after a hearing which lasted two weeks, were held in heavy bail on charges of conspiracy to commit murder, in connection with the case.

UPHOLD ROCKEFELLER PLAN

Colorado Board Decides Against Miners—Hints of a Strike.

DENVER, Oct. 21.—After two months' investigation of the workings of the so-called Rockefeller plan, which governs relations between employes of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company and its officials, the Colorado Industrial Commission has decided that objection to it on the part of union coal miners would not be sufficient ground for striking. Last Summer the miners served notice on the Industrial Commission of their intention to go on strike this Fall because the Rockefeller plan did not recognize union men as such upon the Grievance Committee provided for in the plan. Miners as employes, however, are represented on the Grievance Committee.

The State Industrial Commission was brought into the controversy through the terms of a State law which provides that labor unions must notify the commission of their intention to go on strike and the reasons for the proposed strike a sufficient time in advance to permit investigation by the State body.

Whether the report upholding the Rockefeller plan will affect the labor situation was uncertain, officials of the United Mine Workers of America said tonight.

John McLennan, district member of the International Board, said that union officials were opposed to any drastic action by the men, but that there was much dissatisfaction among union miners, and that the men might vote to go on strike against the advice of their officers.

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Oscar S. Straus, who as Chairman of the Public Service Commission sees Ransom's work day by day, says:

"Judge Ransom will go to the District Attorney's office splendidly equipped by experience, character and ability, and I know that he will give just the same kind of energetic, open-minded public service there as here, and put that office on a high plane of independence, humanity and aloofness from politics. He has the kind of vision and broad-mindedness which the office needs; he will make it genuinely devoted to the defense of human rights."

Men like Charles E. Hughes, David Leventritt, Wm. C. Breed, Timothy Healy, Adolph Lewisohn and Charles C. Burlingham joined recently in saying:

"Judge Ransom was selected on his record, which through ten years at the Bar of this City has proved him able, fair, independent, energetic—a public servant above fear and above reproach."

Ransom has fought and won brilliant battles for the public—the Interborough 'coal shortage' inquiry, the two-cent transfer cases, the New York Edison rate reduction, the hearings as to the quality and prices of gas, the B. R. T. car order case, and the like.

No man who inquires fully as to his record will escape the conclusion that he is the best man named for the place.

He does not look upon the District Attorney's office as a refuge for political cripples or an annex of Murphy's clubs.

He would end Swann's misrule and make the office a great human instrumentality for justice.

He will tackle the big problems of this office in the same fair, patient, thorough way in which he has been dealing with men and their difficulties all his life.

New York County should rally to the opportunity of electing a man of Ransom's rugged common sense and constructive qualities.

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Firing Begins.

"Suddenly an explosion breaks the dead silence. At last the battery of Hundsorts has caught sight of us.

"It depends on minutes, even seconds, whether our first landing forces that are already chasing towards shore, will reach there without having to face the machine-gun fire of the enemy.

"Way behind our battleships suddenly seem to burst into fire. They are giving the Russians the first broadside. With a roar of thunder rolling over the waves they greet Oesel.

"Our little Coralka has slowed down to half speed. We are to follow the advance guard.

Transport Hits a Mine.

"Smilingly the ship's Captain surveys the situation from the bridge. He is well contented. Has he not brought his valuable freight of 1,200 men safely into the bay? He calls to us: 'Everything goes splendidly. Look at our torpedo boats perambulating in front of the enemy as if each was trying to secure the best anchorage for itself.'

"Just then something dealt our trembling ship a gigantic blow from below that seemed to lift her bodily out of the sea. There was no loud noise, nothing but a dull subterranean rumble.

"It was not even noticed by the other ships in the immediate vicinity, but the 1,200 men who did not know but what the next second would see their bodies blown to the sky will never forget this rumbling noise as long as they live.

"'It's a mine,' said the Captain. That blow had swept hundreds of men off their feet. Some lay sprawling on the decks. Others clung to the railings and ropes. From all the ports emerge men in haste.

"The shock has hurled coal from the bunkers into the steerage and driven the men still there on deck. Firemen and stokers, their faces wet and blackened from the sweat and smoke, appear on the companion way. Behind them are clouds of sizzling steam.

"'Keep quiet, men.' Nobody knew whose voice it was that thus made itself heard above the chaos of noise caused by the breaking of woodwork, the clang of metal in the engine room, and men calling to each other. But everybody kept quiet.

"Each man kept to his place and, drawing his lifebelt a bit tighter, watched the ship sinking deeper and deeper. It was not the first time these men had looked death in the face. There are probably not more than 200 men aboard who can swim any length, but there is no crowding to the boats. Everybody remains where the shock caught him. Only the eyes of the men glance wistfully to the east and the west to see if anybody hastens to the rescue.

"While the water rises, and clouds of steam escape from the engine room, the enemy has realized the danger of the situation and is raining shot in our direction.

"Behind us our battleships are keeping up a fierce bombardment of the enemy's batteries. Screaming shells fly over our heads. Waterplanes are screwing themselves up into the sky to drop death on the hostile fleet, and the first boats, containing our landing forces, have made the shore.

"You can see our men, with firearms held high over head, jump into the water that still reaches breast high. You can hear their 'hurrah' as their advance on the sandy shore, driving the Russians from their first lines on to the batteries.

"We, however, are sinking still deeper. We shall soon have to swim,' say the men.

Rescue Boats Arrive.

"But the signals on our masts and the red fireballs didn't remain unobserved. Two torpedo boats race toward us at full speed.

"The Captain hails them from the bridge with a foghorn: 'The ship is sinking rapidly. The boilers may explode any minute.'

"Already those slick torpedo boats are rocking against our sinking ship, one near the stern, the other at the bow.

"None of our men has lost or forgotten his guns and equipment. They leave the sinking ship as if nothing had happened. The torpedo boats are soon filled. They leave, but others take their places immediately. All the men are saved, the Captain being the last to leave the ship.

"The ship has now settled in the soft mud, water just wetting the deck.

"We were the last of the landing forces to reach the shore, the landing of the whole expedition having been accomplished without loss of a man. The first batteries taken, we proceeded on our march into the interior of the island."

Russian Rigs Fleet Escapes.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 21.—The Russians have succeeded in getting all their ships except observation elements out of Moon Sound without losses and in perfect order, according to a communication issued by the Marine Department.

The bulletin says that Oesel and Moon Islands have passed into the hands of the Germans, but that the military operations on Dago Island are being hampered by topographical conditions, notably the marshy ground.

BLIND IN LEFT EYE, ROOSEVELT ADMITS

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I was President I used to box with one of my aids, a young Captain in the artillery. One day he cross-countered me and broke a blood vessel in my left eye. I don't know whether this is known, but I never have been able to see out of that eye since. I thought that as only one good eye was left me I would not box any longer."

"Is there any especial significance in the presence of Mayor Mitchel here?" asked a reporter.

"No," he answered. "I am going to make certain speeches for him."

Replying to other questions, Colonel Roosevelt said he had done "a certain amount of writing" while at the health camp and that he would return to Oyster Bay in a day or two. He also told the reporters jokingly that after he had become a "cub reporter" on The Kansas City Star he received a cablegram from the American correspondents with Pershing's army "welcoming" him.

Colonel Roosevelt assured the newspaper men there was no military significance in his training stunts.

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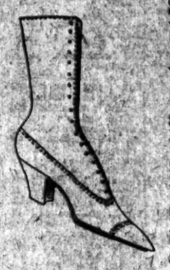
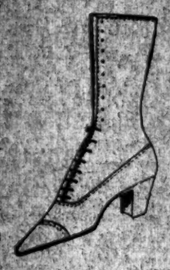


Seal Brown, Beaver

Brown, Slate Grey



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In youthful straight-line-tunic and Blouse models, exhibiting a quality of workmanship in their finish seldom seen in frocks at this price. Made of Twill-back Velveteen, or fine quality Serge, with Broadcloth or Satin collars and trimming of Silk Braid. Colors: Beetroot, Green, Brown, Navy, Taupe, and Black. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Copy of a "Jenny" model *illustrated*.

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BOARD ANNOUNCES ENLARGED EMBARGO

Many Commodities Added to Conservation List and Their Export Practically Forbidden.

ARTICLES TO BE LICENSED

Full Revised Lists as Officially Issued—Conditions of Shipment Under New Regulations.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The War Trade Board has prepared a comprehensive statement concerning the restrictions placed on the export of American commodities. It puts before the exporters of the country a complete index of articles on the conservation list and therefore practically prohibited from export, and conditions on which other commodities may be sent to the allies of America and neutral countries.

Under a late ruling several commodities are added to the conservation list, among them brass, chrome steel, copper, manganese and wool. Here is the conservation list, complete to date, including the commodities which it has heretofore been found necessary to conserve, as well as the commodities now added to the list, the latter being indicated by asterisks:

Conservation List Complete.

Acetone.
Alcohol.
Aluminium.
Ammonia salts.
Amorphous phosphorus.
Ammonia nitrate.
Anhydrous ammonia.
Animal fats.
Arsenate of lead.
Arsenate of soda.
*Babbit metal and other antifriction metals.
*Bichromate of Potash.
*Bismuth salts.
*Boring machines, horizontal.
*Boring mills, vertical, all sizes.
*Brass, articles of.
*Bronze, articles of, (unless containing less than 80 per cent. copper.)
Boiler tubes, (iron and steel.)
Boring mills, vertical, 42 inch and larger.
Butter.
*Cable, (copper or insulated.)
Carbolic acid, (phenol.)
Castor oil and castor beans.
*Caustic potash.
*Caustic soda.
*China wood oil.
Chrome nickel steel.
*Chrome steel.
*Chromium, ore, any metal, ferro-alloy or chemical extracted therefrom.
*Cobalt, ore, any metal, ferro-alloy or chemical extracted therefrom.
*Copper, ore, any metal, ferro-alloy or chemical extracted therefrom unless less than 20 per cent. of copper.
Cotton linters.
Cottonseed oil.
*Crucibles.
Cyanide of sodium.
*Diamonds, (industrial.)
*Drill presses, except sensitive.
*Drilling machines, radial.
*Ferro-chrome.
*Ferro-cobalt.
*Ferro-molybdenum.
*Ferro-manganese.
*Ferro-nickel.
Ferro-silicon.
*Ferro-tungsten.
*Ferro-vanadium.
*Flannelette raisings, (wool.)
Flax and all manufactured articles containing flax which are manufactured in the United States.
Food grains, (including, among others, wheat, barley, corn, rice, oats, and rye.)
Glycerine.
*Grinders, internal, plain, and universal.
*Graphite electrodes.
*Hair, animal.
*Hardware, finished articles containing more than 10 per cent. of copper.
*Hydrofluoric acid.
Iron and steel plates, including ship, boiler, tank, and other iron and steel plates one-eighth inch thick and heavier and wider than six inches, whether plain or fabricated.
*Jute and products, including cloth, bags, gunnies, twine, &c.
Lard.
Lard compound.
*Lathes, 24-inch swing and larger.
Linen.
*Manganese, ore, any metal, ferro-alloy, or chemical extracted therefrom.
*Milling machines, plain and universal, except hand millers.
*Mercury.
Mercury salts.
*Molybdenum.
*Molybdenite.
*Naxos emery.
Nitrate of soda.
Nitric acid.
*Nickel and nickel alloys.
*Nickel, (more than 5 per cent.) ore, any metal, ferro-alloy, or chemicals extracted therefrom.
Nitric salts.
Oil well casing.
Oil cake.
Oil cake meal.
Phosphoric acid.
Phosphorus.
Pig iron.
*Planers, metal working, 36 inches wide and larger.
*Planers, 30-inch and larger.
*Plumbago, (graphite, imported, and articles manufactured therefrom.)
*Peas, including seed.
Potash and chlorate of potash.
Potassium salts.
*Sal ammoniac.
Saltpetre.
Scrap iron.
Scrap steel.
Searchlights and generators, (suited for army and navy use.)
*Sheellite.
Soaps.
*Sodium phosphate.
Sodium sulphite.
*Solder.
Spiegeleisen.
Stearine and stearic acid.
Steel billets.
Steel blooms.
Steel ingots.
Steel sheet bars.
Steel slabs.
Sugar.
Sulphate of ammonia.
Sulphur and sulphuric acid.
Superphosphate.
Tallow.
*Tin and any metallic alloy containing tin.
*Chloride of tin. *tin ore, *tin canisters, (except when used as food containers;) *tin boxes, (except when used as food containers;) *tin foil.
*Tin plate.
Tungsten.
*Tungsten ore; any metal, ferro-alloy or chemical extracted therefrom.
Toluol.
*Type metal.
*Vegetable oils.
*Vanadium.
Wireless apparatus.
Wheat.
Wheat flour.
*Wolframite.
*Wool, raw.
*Wool, scoured.
*Wool products suitable for military purposes.
Wool rags.
*Wool and worsted yarns.
*Wool and worsted tops.
*Wool and worsted waste.
*Wool and worsted noils.
*Yellow phosphorus.
*Late addition to list.

In explaining the additions to the conservation list the board says:

Conditions for Export.

"Export licenses may be granted for the above mentioned articles, (those added to the conservation list,) when they are destined for actual war purposes or when they will directly contribute thereto. Licenses may also be granted in certain unusual cases where such exports will contribute directly to the immediate production of important commodities required by the United States, and also in certain other cases where these commodities may be exported in limited quantities without detriment to this country.

"With reference to shipments to Canada this announcement is made:

"To facilitate exports to Canada and Newfoundland there has been heretofore issued, through the customs service, a special license whereby goods have been permitted to enter Canada and Newfoundland without an individual license for each shipment, except in the case of the commodities which the board has heretofore found it necessary to conserve, and for whose exportation individual licenses have been required, as stated in the several announcements made by the board from time to time. With respect to the commodities, which are now added to the conservation list in accordance with this statement, an individual export license will likewise be required for each shipment of such additional conserved commodities, which is covered by ocean mail, or railroad bill of lading marked 'For export,' and dated on or after Oct. 20, 1917. This date has been fixed in order to avoid interference with goods in transit."

Taking up the matter of "additions to articles requiring licenses," the statement issued by the board says:

"The attention of shippers is directed to the fact that the following commodities have been recently classified as requiring an export license when shipped to Abyssinia, Afghanistan, Argentina, that portion of Belgium not occupied by the military forces of Germany or the colonies, possessions, or protectorates of Belgium; Bolivia, Brazil, China, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, France, her colonies, possessions, or protectorates; Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, her colonies, possessions, or protectorates; Great Britain, her colonies, possessions, or protectorates; Japan, Liberia, Mexico, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, Nepal, Nicaragua, colonies, possessions, or protectorates of The Netherlands; Oman, Panama, Paraguay, Persia, Peru, Portugal, her colonies, possessions, or protectorates; Rumania, Russia, Salvador, San Marino, Serbia, Siam, Uruguay, Venezuela; (excluding any portion of the foregoing occupied by the military forces of Germany or her allies,) or any territory occupied by the military forces of the United States or by the nations associated with the United States in the war.

"In order to avoid interference with goods in transit, no export license will be required for such shipments of these commodities as are covered by an ocean and/or railroad bill of lading marked 'For export,' and dated on or before Oct. 20, 1917. This list may be regarded as supplementary to the one already published:

Alum.
Amorphous phosphorus.
Bichromate of soda.
Bismuth salts.
Brass and articles of.
Bronze and articles of.
Chrome alum.
Epsom salts.
Ferric alum.
German silver.
Glauber salts.
Hydrofluoric acid.
Hypesulphite of soda.
Nicotine sulphate.
Paraffin wax.
Peas, including seed.
Plated ware.
Sal ammoniac.
Silverplated ware.
Sodium fluoride.
Sulphate of quinine.
Toys containing lead, zinc, tin, aluminium.
Yellow phosphorus.
Zinc oxide, dry.

"The board has determined that the following benzol, phenol, and toluol derivatives will require an export license when shipped to any country of the world. Such of these, however, as are not on the conservation list will proceed to Canada as heretofore under the special license issued through the Customs Service:

Acetanilide.
Aniline oil.
Aniline salts.
Amido azo benzol.
Amido phenol, (Para amido phenol)
Benzol.
Betanaphthol.
Carbolic acid, (Phenol.)
Chlorbenzol, (Mono chlorbenzol.)
Cresolx.
Di-nitro-benzol, (Meta-di-nitro-benzol.)
Di-nitro-chlor-benzol.
Di-nitro-phenol.
Di-methyl-aniline.
Di-phenyl-amine.
Nitro-acetanilide. (Para-nitro-acetanilide.)
Nitro-aniline.
Nitro-benzol.
Nitro-phenol. (Para-nitro-phenol.)
Nitro-toluol.
(Ortho-nitro-toluol.)
(Para-nitro-toluol.)
Nitro-xylols.
Nitro-cresols.
Nitro-naphthalenes.
Nitro-chlor-benzol.
(Para-nitro-chlor-benzol.)
Nitroso-di-methyl-aniline.
Naphthalene.
Para-nitraniline.
Phenol, (Carbolic acid.)
Tetra-nitro-aniline.
Tetra-nitro-methyl-aniline.
Toluol.
Tri-nitro-toluol.
Toluidine.
(Ortho-toluidine.)
(Para-toluidine.)
Xylidine.
Xylol.

License List Complete.

"The board has prepared the following list, comprising commodities which have already been determined to be included under the general headings mentioned in the second division of the proclamation of Aug. 27, 1917. Additions may be made to this list if it is determined that other articles are properly included under these general headings:

Abrasives, (all artificial.)
Acetone.
Acetanilide.
Acid hydrofluoric.
Acid phosphates.
Aeronautical instruments.
Aeronautical machines.
Alcohol.
Alcoxite wheels.
Alloy steel.
Alum.
Aluminium and articles made entirely thereof.
Aluminum grain.
Aluminum flakes.
Amido azo benzol.
Amido phenol, (Para amido phenol.)
Ammonia and its salts.
Ammonia anhydrous.
Ammonia nitrate.
Ammunition.
Ammonophosphuryus.
Aniline oil.
Aniline salts.
Angles—
Iron.
Steel;
Animal fats.
Anticraft instruments—Apparatus and accessories;
Antimony.
Antimony black.
Antifriction metal.
Arms.
Arsenate of lead.
Arsenate of soda.
Ash, wood.
Auto grease.
Automatic guns and sensitive.
Babbitt metal.
Bacon.
Barium nitrate.
Barley.
Belting, leather.
Benzene.
Betanaphthol.
Bluestones, (copper sulphate.)
Benzine.
Beans—
Iron.
Steel.
(of all sizes;)
Benzol and its derivatives.
Bichromate of soda.
Billets, steel.
Binder twine, (for reaping machines.)
Binocular, (for marine use.)
Birch wood.
Blancfixe (sulphate of barium.)
Blooms, steel.
Bleached soda pulp.
Boilers, steam.
Boiler fittings.
Boiler plates.
Boiler plugs.
Boiler tubes—
Steel.
Copper;
Bone, ground.
Bone, meal.
Boots and shoes of leather.
Bolt heading machines
Book binders tin stitching wire.
Boring mills, (vertical 42-in. and larger.)
Boring tubes.
Broching machines, with countershaft.
Bromide ammonium.
Bronze and articles of.
Bunkers.
Buckram. (flax.)
Burlap.
Butter.
Cane knives.
Can maker machines.
Carbons, elec. light.
Carbolic acid, (phenol)
Car seals.
Carborundum.
Carrier and other pigeons.
Casings, oil well.
Castor oil.
Castor beans.
Caustic soda.
Cattle manure.
Cellulose.
Cereals, (oatmeal, rolled oats.)
Channels—
Iron.
Steel.
(all sizes;)
Cheese.
Chlorate of potash.
Chlorbenzol, (mono chlorbenzol.)
Chrome alum.
Chromium, (for steel alloy.)
Chrome nickel steel.
Chlorate of potash.
Clothing, leather.
Coal.
Cocoanut, desiccated.
Cod liver oil.
Coke.
Condensed milk.
Condensers.
Coin—
Silver,
Gold;
Copper and articles made entirely thereof.
Copper bars.
Copper ingots.
Copper plates.
Copper rods.
Copper strap.
Copper sheets.
Copper sulphate.
Copper tubes.
Copper wire.
Copper wire insulators.
Cotton.
Cotton linters.
Copra.
Corn, (maize.)
Corn flour.
Corn meal.
Corn oil.
Corrugated copper gaskets.
Corundum wheels and stones.
Cottonseed meal.
Cottonseed oil.
Creosol.
Crisco.
Crucibles.
Cyananide.
Cyanides, (all).
Cyanide of sodium.
Diamonds, industrial.
Dimethyl aniline.
Di-nitro-benzol—(Meta-di-nitro-benzol);
Dinitrophenol.
Di-nitro-chlor-benzol.
Diphenylanine.
Drill presses, except sensitive.
Drilling machines, radial.
Dry blood.
Drill chucks.
Dry paste flour.
Drilling implements and machinery with accessories for oil wells.
Drill rods.
Drill presses.
Drills, (carbon and high speed twist).
Electrical equipment, all.
Electric generators.
Electric lamps.
Emery and emery cloth.
Emery wheels.
Engines, (except locomotives);
Epsom salts.
Ether.
Exhaust pipes.
Explosives.
Fan belts, (if leather);
Fats, all;
Ferro-chrome.
Ferric alum.
Ferrocyanide potash.
Ferro-manganese.
Ferro-silicon.
Ferro-titanium.
Ferro-vanadium.
Fertilizers, including—Fish—meal and fats, including—Poultry, cottonseed oil, corn oil, copra, desiccated cocoanut, butter, fish, fresh, dried, and canned, edible or inedible grease of animal or vegetable origin, linseed oil, lard, tinned milk, peanut oil, peanut butter, rapeseed oil, tallow, tallow candles, stearic acid, pig tails; Mercury and its salts, Mercury salts, Metals—Anti-friction, Babbitt; Metal working machines, Microscopes, Milk, tinned and powdered, not fresh; Milling cutters, Mineral colza, Mineral oil, Mirror iron, Molasses, Molybdenum, Motors—Steam, Gas, Electric; Naphtha, Naphthalene, Naphthaline balls, Neatsfoot oil, Nestle's Food, (infants), News paper, Nickel, Nicotine sulphate, Nitro-acetanilide—(Para-nitro-acetanilide;) Nitrate silver, Nitro-aniline, Nitro-benzol, Nitrate of ammonia, Nitro-phenol—(Para-nitro-phenol); Nitric acid, Nitro-toluol—(Ortho-nitro-toluol), (Para-nitro-toluol;) Nitric acid and its salts, Nitro-xylols, Nitro-cresols, Nitrate of soda, Nitro-naphthalenes, Nitro-chlor-benzol—(Para-nitro-chlor-benzol,) Nitric salts, Nitroso-di-methyl-aniline, Nitrate of potash, Nitrogen lamps, Oak, wood, Oakrum, Oats, Oatmeal, Oilcake, Oilmeal cake, Oil well casing, Oil well drilling implements and machinery and accessories, Optical glass, Optical instruments—Reflectors; Oils, including—Iron, Fuel, Lubricating, Lantern, Naphtha, Benzine, Red, Kerosene, Gasoline, Rapeseed, Cylinder, Olive; Oxide of zinc, Paper—Newsprint, Book, Paraffine—Oil, Wax; Paranitraniline, Peanuts, Peanut butter, Peanut oil, Petroleum, Petrolatum, Petroleum jelly, Phenol, (carbolic acid,) and its derivatives, Phosphoric acid, Phosphate rock, Phosphate, (sodium,) Phosphorized, 5 p. c. tin, Phosphorus, Pigeons, carrier and others, Pig iron, Pilchards, canned, Pillar presses, power driven, Planers, Planers, (metal working 36-in. and larger) Platinum, Plated ware, Plumbago, Potash, Potash alum lumps, Potash and its salts, Potassium bromide crystals, Potassium chlorate, Potassium permanganate, Potassium salts, Potato manure, Potential transformers, Poudrette, Poultry, Prawn, Print paper, Profilers, Prussiate soda, Propeller shafts, Pulp boards, Pumps, steam and electric driven, Primers, Quassium citrate, Quicksilver, Quinine sulphate, Radio apparatus and all accessories, Rapeseed oil, Reamers, Reflector, searchlight, Rice, Rice flour, Red oil, Rolled oats, Rope, manilla, Rosin, Rosin oil, Rye, Saddles, Sago flour, Sal ammoniac, Saltpetre, Sawn, illidian corn, Saw mill machinery, (iron and steel,) Screw plates for cutting (thread), Screw machines, Screw machines, automatic, Searchlights, Seamless tubes, Searchlight and generators suitable for army and navy use, Sequitized potash, Sheet bars, steel, Shafts, steel, Sheep manure, Ship stores, Shoes, leather, Shooks, (if of wood specified in the proclamation of Aug. 27, 1917,) Syrup, Sisal, Silver nitrate, Silver plated ware, Skins, Soap, Soap powder, Sodium, Sodium cyanide, Sodium fluoride, Sodium hydrosulphite, Sodium bisulphate, Sodium sulphite, Sodium phosphate, Sodium sulphide, Solder, Soot, Soup paste, Specular iron, Spelter, Spiegeleisen, Spruce, wood, Staves, (if of wood specified in the proclamation of Aug. 27, 1917,) Steam boilers, Steam boiler tubes, Stearine, Stearine acid, Stearine acid candles, Steel shapes—Beams, Channels, Angles, Tees and zees, (all sizes,) Steel, Fabricated—Structural, including beams, channels, angles, tees and zees, and plates, fabricated, and shipped knocked down; Steel plates, including ship boiler, tank, and all other steel plates one-eighth of an inch thick and heavier and wider than 6 inches and circles over 6 inches in diameter. This includes No. 11 U. S. gauge but not No. 11 U. S. W. gauge; Steel hardening materials, Steel Ingots—Billets, Blooms, Slugs, Sheetbars; Steel scrap, Steel—(Tool, High speed; Steel alloys, Sugar, Sugar of milk, Sulphate of copper, Sulphate of soda, Sulphur, Sulphate of ammonia, Sulphate of antimony, Sulphate of alumina, Sulphate of barium, Sulphate of iron, Sulphate of quinine, Sulphide of antimony, (stibnite,) Sulphurated castor oil, Sulphuric acid and its salts, Sulphuric acid, Super-phosphate, super-heaters, Tachometer, Tallow, Tallow candles, Tamales, Tank plates, Taps and dies, (machine,) Tetra-nitro-aniline, Tetra-nitro-methyl-aniline, Tees—Iron, Steel, Telephone apparatus, Tetra-nitro-ethyl-aniline, Tin, Tin, all articles containing, Tin cans, except when used as containers, Tin foil, Tin plate, terne plate, Toluol, Toluol and its derivatives, Tri-nitro-toluol, Tools, machine, Toluidine—Ortho-toluidine, Para-toluidine; Tool steel, Toys, (tin, brass, lead, &c.,) Tungsten, Turbines, Turpentine, Turpentine, crude, Turret holders, Twine, binder, Twist drills, Type, printing, Tools—Bolier, Iron, Steel, Copper; Vanadium, Vaseline, Vises, (bench drill,) Vegetable oils, Vitriol blue, Walnut, wood, Welting, Wheat, wheat flour, White enamel book paper, White lead, (dry,) Wireless apparatus and accessories, Wood—Ash, Spruce, Walnut, Mahogany, Oak, Birch; Woodpulp, Woodworking machinery, power driven, Wool, Wool clippings, Wool products, Wool rags, X-Ray apparatus, Zinc—Iron, Steel; Zinc, Zinc oxide, Zinc sulphate, Zinc white, (dry,) Xylidine, Xylol.

"Shippers should note that every article of commerce is included in the list of articles mentioned in the first division of the President's proclamation of Aug. 27, and will therefore require licenses when shipped to Albania, Austria-Hungary, that portion of Belgium occupied by the military forces of Germany, Bulgaria, Denmark, (her colonies, possessions, or protectorates;) Germany, (her colonies, possessions, or protectorates;) Greece, Lichtenstein, Luxemburg, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, (in Europe;) Norway, Spain, (her colonies, possessions, or protectorates;) Sweden, Switzerland, or Turkey, (excluding any portion of the foregoing occupied by the military forces of the United States or the nations associated with the United States in the war,) or any territory occupied by the military forces of Germany or her allies."

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GERMANY'S INTRIGUES SUMMED UP IN BOOKLET

College Professors Indict Autocracy in Annotations to Wilson's Flag Day Speech.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—A scathing indictment of the German Government and its agents is contained in annotations to the Flag Day address delivered by President Wilson on June 14, 1917, which has been issued in pamphlet form by the Committee on Public Information. The annotations were prepared by Professors Wallace Notestein, Elmer Stoll, August C. Krey, and William Anderson of the University of Minnesota, and Professor Guernsey Jones of the University of Nebraska. There is a note for nearly every sentence, showing that the President knew every phase of the German situation, and that the address was prepared in the light of many things which the public has learned only recently.

Dr. Dernburg is charged with being the official missionary in America "for the corruption of public opinion." It is charged also that newspapers have been started with German money, and others have received secret subsidies from the German Government. George Sylvester Viereck and Marcus Braun are mentioned in this connection. Boy-Ed, von Papen, von Rintelen, Tauscher, von Igel, Privy Councilor Albert, von Bernstorff, Konig, and others are charged with complicity in the pro-German plottings in this country. THE NEW YORK TIMES, THE NEW YORK TIMES CURRENT HISTORY, and THE NEW YORK TIMES INDEX are cited frequently in support of the accusations.

Labor's National Peace Council is charged with having attempted to bring about a strike of 23,000 longshoremen. The American Embargo Conference, it is alleged, "arose out of the ashes of Labor's National Peace Council, and its President was American, although its funds were not."

Germany is accused of having brought on the war, and copious citations are given to support this charge. There is a rather full analysis of the German system of government to show that Germany is under autocratic rule and that the claim of democracy is merely a pretense.

One of the citations is as follows: "Even now, (September, 1917,) the rulers of Germany cannot abandon their schemes for annexation. Recently the Reichstag, impelled probably by the growing peril of Germany's situation, votes against annexations and indemnities. Alarmed by this vote, the Pan Germans have been conducting a campaign of mass meetings and telegrams. They sent a wire to the new Chancellor, Michaelis, urging that peace without indemnities and extensions of territory was impossible. To this the Chancellor answered: 'I am firmly confident that the splendid military situation will help us to a peace which will guarantee permanently the German empire's condition of existence on the Continent and overseas.' These are phrases commonly used by the Germans who wish extensions of territory, but who express their wishes agreeably. He was indicating in a polite and guarded way that the Pan Germans should understand that their plans of conquest had not been given up."

REPORTS ON COAL HOARDING

Garfield Will Take Up Situation in New York Today.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Reports of investigations to determine whether hoarding of coal has been carried on a large scale in New York will receive the consideration of Dr. H. A. Garfield, the Fuel Administrator, on his return to Washington tomorrow. He is determined to end any temporary shortage in that and other large cities.

At his recent conferences with Attorney General Gregory Dr. Garfield, it is understood, sought full information as to his powers to seize and distribute hoarded coal and the methods under which he should proceed. He is satisfied, it is said, that there will be no trouble in making the hoarder open his bins, once evidence is obtained.

The general coal situation was reported here today as much brighter, and it is believed that the crisis will have been passed by the end of the week. Dr. Garfield is expected to make known within a day or two his findings as to the request for higher mine prices to meet the demands for increased wages by organized labor.

HELD AS STRIKE PLOTTER.

Oklahomans Capture I. W. W. Agent with Letters From His Chief.

HENRIETTA, Okla., Oct. 21.—A plot to cause a strike among coal miners in this district, said to have been directed from I. W. W. headquarters in Minneapolis, was uncovered here today by police who arrested a man named Ebert, who is an I. W. W. organizer. A letter carried by Ebert and purporting to be from W. P. Neff, National Secretary of the I. W. W., ordered him to make every effort to keep the miners from their work.

Ebert also carried a letter from Mrs. William Boekenlegen of Minneapolis, Director of the field corps of I. W. W. In his pockets were found photographs of railroad wrecks labeled "Our Revenge."

The police are investigating a report that Ebert disappeared from Kansas City immediately after the stock yards fire last week. It is also said that he is wanted in New York.

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Will Avert Great Loss of Life in Case of Submarine Attack—Special Attention to Transports.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Transports and cargo ships now contracted for by the United States Government will not fall an easy prey to the German submarines if the methods of construction put into effect by the Emergency Fleet Corporation of the United States Shipping Board prove to be as effective as engineers predict. There will be no more five-minute sinkings such as marked the destruction of the transport Antilles on its homeward journey, and every effort will be made to reduce to the minimum the danger of loss of life even if torpedoes find their mark.

At a heavy additional expense and in some instances at a slight sacrifice of carrying capacity, the Fleet Corporation is planning to equip its new ships with a system of bulkheads which will defy a single torpedo and keep the vessel afloat for a period long enough to permit those aboard to disembark safely, even though two or three torpedoes find their target.

Admiral Capps, the General Manager, and engineers of the Fleet Corporation have no illusions about the practicability of building a nonsinkable craft, but they are confident that great loss of life can be averted, especially as the ships are to be conveyed by destroyers, thus making it precarious for submarines to continue their operations, particularly after the first torpedo is sent on its course.

By a system of bulkhead construction which has been studied out carefully the constructors believe that, without gutting down the carrying tonnage of a ship to a point where the vessel would prove impractical, comparative safety can be assured for all on board.

Most of these vessels will be of from 10,000 to 12,000 tons, and will be equipped with engines capable of driving them at sixteen knots an hour or better. They will be of steel construction of the latest design, and the bulkhead system will be extended if possible to guard the entire ship.

The most careful attention has been given to the design of the ships intended for the transport service. It has been found possible to extend the bulkheads in this class of ships without cutting down to any large extent the number of men carried. It is probable that there would, however, be little space left for carrying supplies other than those needed for the men on board.

The safeguards will not be as complete in connection with the cargo-carrying ships to be built under the new plan, but the object will be to make them immune from danger of sinking rapidly. The problem of cargo space has to be considered in the construction of these vessels.

The necessity for haste in construction also has received careful thought in putting the plans of the Emergency Fleet Corporation into effect. Expense has not been permitted to stand in the way of safety for men and cargoes.

Most of the new-type ships will be built in the fabricating yards, but as far as possible the idea of more adequate bulkhead protection has been carried out in the completion of commandeered vessels which were partly built. These vessels, armed and convoyed and equipped with all of the anti-submarine devices, it is believed, will prove worthy foes of Germany's underseas fleet.

SEE PLOT IN LOSS OF SHIPS.

Antipodes Stirred by Four Mysterious Maritime Disasters.

Special Correspondence of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Sept. 25.—German money and German machinations are popularly believed to be the cause of the explosion which sank the steamer Port Kembla on Sept. 19 off the New Zealand coast. The Port Kembla is the fourth oversea vessel to meet disaster in Australian waters within the last five months.

The Union Company of New Zealand has not been able to find a trace of its cargo carrier Wairuna, which left Auckland for San Francisco with forty persons on board. The Federal liner Cumberland while en route from Sydney to Melbourne to finish loading early in July was shattered by an explosion and was beached on the New South Wales coast; in August she had been floated, but heavy weather sank her. She and her cargo were worth $2,500,000. She was bound for Great Britain. Government experts who examined her are divided as to whether she was wrecked by a bomb in her coal or by a mine.

On the heels of the Cumberland came the obliteration of the Matunga, owned by Burns, Philp & Co. of Sydney. The Matunga left Sydney the last of July for Rabaul, the capital of German New Guinea. When two days away from Rabaul she reported by wireless "All's well." From that time to this no vestige of her has been found. She had on board troops for the Australian garrison at Rabaul, the wife of one of the officers and a ship's company of about forty—in all almost sixty persons. She also carried stores and coal for the garrison.

The Port Kembla was owned by the Commonwealth & Dominion Line, a branch of the Cunard Service, and was of 4,760 gross tons. She took on cargo at Melbourne and started for London via Wellington, New Zealand, where she was to coal. But off Farewell Spit, New Zealand, an explosion smashed her so badly that she sank in half an hour. Her crew took to the boats and eventually were picked up and landed at Port Nelson, New Zealand.

These disasters have caused a stir in the antipodes. By some the explosions are held to the Industrial Workers of the World. The Government rewards offered for information of the identity of the bombers total $25,000, to which has been added $5,000 by The Sydney Sun.

HOLLAND'S SHIP PROPOSALS

Dutch Foreign Office Says Washington Has Made No Reply.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Dutch Foreign Office, according to a dispatch from The Hague to Reuter's, has made two proposals to America for the settlement of the shipping difficulty. One relates to the distribution of Dutch shipping now in American waters between Holland and the Belgian Relief Commission. The other proposal suggests that a certain number of ships be placed in the service of the Belgian Relief Commission.

The Foreign Office, according to the dispatch, declares that, although these proposals were made some months ago, no reply or counter-proposal had been received.

ILLINOIS STRIKE ENDING.

Operators and Miners Say Shafts Will Be in Full Blast Today.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 21.—Officials of the Miners' Union and operators expressed confidence tonight that practically every mine in Illinois would be in operation tomorrow.

Harry Fishwick, Vice President of the Illinois miners' organization, who received telegraphic reports from various sections of the State, said he was sure there would be veryfew miners still on strike after tomorrow.

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HIGH SCHOOLS FACE A STRIKE OF 10,000

Board of Education Committee to Confer with Boys and Girls This Afternoon.

WILL HEAR TEACHERS ALSO

Votes Will Then Be Taken at De Witt Clinton, Commerce, and Wadleigh Whether to Accept Concession.

A general strike of 10,000 students in three high schools of this city will take place this week if the committee of boys and girls from De Witt Clinton High School, the High School of Commerce, and Wadleigh High School fail to receive satisfactory assurances that the lengthened schoolday will be abolished when they meet John Whalen, Chairman of the Committee on High Schools, at the Board of Education, Fifty-ninth Street and Park Avenue, this afternoon. Mr. Whalen designated this afternoon as the time when he and the members of his committee will formally receive the deputation. Following this conference, the Committee on High Schools will listen to the grievances of the teachers who want the lengthened day abolished.

The students insist that the longer day interferes seriously with their ability to obtain positions or leaves them little time for play and study outside of school hours. The attendance at the high schools since the beginning of this term, when the lengthened day was inaugurated, has perceptibly diminished. A general strike of students in the high schools was stopped last week only by the insistence of the older boys that the Board of Education be formally petitioned to do away with the six-hour day.

The committee will report the result of the interview with the Board of Education's committee at the assembly held in the high schools tomorrow morning and afternoon, and votes will be taken whether to accept any arrangement that the High Schools Committee may decide to grant or to go out on strike. Teachers in the schools, who are closer to the boys and who know their temper better than the school heads, take the situation seriously. Several said yesterday that the grievances of the boys have been taken thus far altogether too lightly by the Principals and by the Board of Education.

"These boys," said one high school teacher, "read the newspapers intelligently and know what is going on in the world. If you could have talked to as many of them as I you would know they mean business. This city will see something unique in the history of education this week if the boys feel that what they want is denied them. Many boys have told me they had to leave school because of the longer day, for they are unable to obtain positions any more."

Teachers who oppose the longer school day say that it prevents them from pursuing post-graduate work. They maintain that by increasing the length of the day the Board of Educatoin is really shortening their pay, for they receive the same pay for more service.

Police Commissioner Woods is investigating whether Tammany Hall representatives instigated the riots in the public schools last week. Detectives have been interviewing parents and children and the Commissioner expects to have a report soon. Walter H. Gilpatrick, Commissioner of Education, will continue today to make his investigation for William G. Willcox, President of the Board of Education. He will see a committee of three boys from the Junior Anti-Gary League of the Bronx and will learn from them, it is expected, how they came to strike against the schools where the Gary plan is installed. The Committee on Public Education, which advocates the work-study-play schools, yesterday hailed this as the downfall of the educational system it advocates by ex-Judge Alton B. Parker.

"Any one who has studied the children raised in the country and those that are city bred is well aware of the country child's superior facility in the use of hand and eye, and of the great need for some systematic training for city children which will give them the use of their hands and their sight. As I see it, the great general benefit of the Gary system is that each child acquires skill, not a mere facility in mental processes, but a real ability to do things.

"For New York City the Gary system has the special advantage that it has abolished the part-time pupil and gives to each child during its teachable years a full day's training instead of the meagre daily allowance possible in the old part-time days at a minimum of public cost."

A meeting of merchants on the east side was held yesterday at the headquarters of the East Side Protective Association, 192 Rivington Street, to devise means of discouraging disturbances by children in that part of the city. Harry Schlacht, Superintendent of the association, said:

"As a result of an investigation I started recently, I learned that children were being coached by certain Socialist candidates for office in this city to make seditious soapbox speeches and start disturbances. During the next few days a general bombardment of public schools on the east side will be in order, some of those boys have told me. I knew where the headquarters of this body which is coaching about 300 east side children is located, and intend to take the matter up tomorrow with District Attorney Swann and Police Commissioner Woods in an effort to prosecute those responsible for polluting the minds of the children."

BUCKNER BLAMES PARENTS.

Followers of T. W. Churchill, He Says, Help Them to Cause Riots.

Emory R. Buckner, Chairman of the Mitchel Fusion Campaign Committee, said yesterday that he had evidence that the Gary school riots in the last week were brought about through the influence of certain followers of Thomas W. Churchill, former President of the Board of Education, working with a number of so-called parents' associations, the officers of which form a kind of interlocking directorate. These associations, he said, are the Federation of Parents' Associations, the Federation of Neighborhood Associations, the Federation of Bronx Neighborhood Associations, the Anti-Gary League, and the Parent School Betterment League.

"Certain men," said Mr. Buckner, "who have been the leaders in stirring up people against the plan appear on all the boards. For example, Charles Marrin is President of the Bronx Neighborhood Associations and also Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Parent School Betterment League. Frank D. Wilsey, formerly Chairman of the Building Committee of the Board of Education and not reappointed by Mayor Mitchel because he had not done his part in forwarding the work of the organization which the Board of Education had gone on record as defending, is one of the Directors of the Parent School Betterment League and is also on the Organization Committee of the Neighborhood Association, of which W. A. Cokeley, a Tammany man, is Chairman. Meyer C. Goldman, who is from Thomas W. Churchill's district, is President of the Parent School Betterment League, and among the Directors are Ernest Eilert, Arthur Somers, and Rupert B. Thomas, who were Churchill's followers in the Board of Education in obstructing the Gary plan.

"As to the proof that these associations are directly responsible for the present deplorable conditions, we know that in one case the Federation of Parents' Associations at a meeting at Public School 171 in Manhattan last week exhorted the parents to get up a demonstration and parade against the Gary plan and promised assistance in carrying it through. I understand that this 'spontaneous' outburst is to come next Tuesday. A circular issued by the Parents' School Betterment League on Oct. 11 warns that 'grave trouble, perhaps riot and disorder,' is likely to occur unless the Board of Education Publicity Bureau permits the so-called 'Parent Associations' to speak at the meetings planned by the board to officially explain the plan to the parents of each district.

"Tammany has descended to the lowest possible level in this campaign, but it was hardly conceivable that they would use public school children to gain their political ends. Already parents are indignant that children are being so used, and in a few days facts will be forthcoming which will turn this latest political move of Tammany into its worst boomerang."

ASKS PROTEST TO BRITAIN.

Merchants' Association Urges the Release of American-Owned Goods.

The New York Merchants' Association yesterday made public communications it had sent to Secretary of State Lansing suggesting that Great Britain abandon certain restrictive measures against American commerce enforced in the war. One communication protested against letters of assurance being required for exports to Greece. The other urged the Secretary of State to use his influence to obtain the release by Great Britain of German and Austrian products owned by Americans in neutral ports in Europe when the war began, and whose export to this country Great Britain has prevented. In calling Secretary Lansing's attention to the need of releasing these products the Merchants' Association wrote in part:

"The interest of the United States in denying every aid to Germany and Austria is equal to that of Great Britain. The Government of the United States should, in our judgment, be the arbiter henceforth in matters relating to its attitude and the position of its nationals in all trade and other questions. The future position of certain of the European neutrals is uncertain. American owned merchandise which its owners are prevented from receiving may be placed in increasing jeopardy by being required to remain in those countries. Moreover, the merchandise in question is in many cases deteriorating in value, and in every case charges are accruing which are both unnecessary and extremely heavy.

"The association begs to suggest that the Government of the United States take up with renewed earnestness with the British Government the question of whether this merchandise should not be immediately placed at the disposal of its American owners, and begs further to suggest that the American Government, in so far as it consistently can, assist shippers in making arrangements for the transportation thereof to the United States at the earliest possible moment."

ANTIS TO AID TROOPS.

Arrange an Entertainment to Raise Funds for Christmas Cheer.

The members of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, in a statement issued last night, said that this was a time for loyal service and not for political controversy, and it had decided, therefore, to give a patriotic entertainment at Carnegie Hall on Saturday evening, Nov. 3, for the purpose of providing Christmas cheer for soldiers and sailors.

Mrs. Robert Lansing and Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr., will be guests. Senator Wadsworth will make an address. Invitations have been sent to ex-President and Mrs. William H. Taft and to Elihu Root and Mrs. Root.

Miss Fannie Irvin of 100 East Thirty-sixth Street is in charge of the tickets. The concert is given because of the Government's expressed wish to provide good cheer for the soldiers and sailors at Christmas.

Appeal from College in Manila.

The Rev. Father Michael, F. S. C., director of De La Salle College in Manila, P. I., has sent an appeal to the New York public for greatly needed contributions for his institution. The sum of $250,000 is required for new buildings in which courses in English, similar to those of an American university, may be given. The appeal is accompanied by a warm letter of indorsement and recommendation by Governor General Francis Burton Harrison of the Philippines.

NORTHCLIFFE GOES ON TOUR

Will Visit Middle West Cities to Talk on Food and Shipping.

After a brief stay in New York on his return from Canada, during which he attended to some important business matters, Lord Northcliffe left again by train on Saturday night for an eight-days' tour of Dayton and Cleveland, Ohio, St. Louis, Chicago, and Kansas City. In these cities Lord Nothcliffe, the Chairman of the British War Mission in the United States, will deliver addresses by request on the conservation of food and the shipping problem, which he considers to be the most vital issue in the war today.

Nearly all his nights will be spent on the train, as they were during his two recent journeys through Canada. Lord Northcliffe has refused to make speeches from the rear platform of his car before 8:30 in the morning because he feels that he must have rest to maintain his health.

In Dayton, Ohio, Lord Northcliffe will present the Royal Albert Medal for Aviation to Orville Wright. He is accompanied by some members of the British War Mission and will return to New York about the end of the month for two or three days, and then go to Washington.

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As a feeble acknowledgment of our debt to the Country under whose flag and institutions such growth has been possible, and to keep faith with a public whose patronage has built the Packard business and enabled the Packard organization to serve our Country as it is serving today, this Company plans to devote the receipts of one whole week's Motor Carriage business to the purchase of Liberty Bonds.

This plan will enable Packard customers whose orders are received within that period to feel that they are rendering their Government high service, while at the same time providing for their own needs in the matter of transportation and thus assisting in the relief of public transportation facilities which are now so sorely taxed to move troops, munitions and supplies that every private measure of co-operation is a veritable Godsend.

PACKARD MOTOR CAR COMPANY OF NEW YORK

ZEPPELIN DOOMED AS RAIDING CRAFT

French Say Disaster to Fleet Returning from Britain Proves Airplane the Master.

4 WERE LOST, 3 CRIPPLED

One Damaged Raider Landed Part of Her Crew and Escaped—Two Others Out of Control.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—Although at first it was believed that the visit of the Zeppelin fleet to France yesterday was an independent raid and the first step toward carrying out the threat made in a German wireless message, which said it had been decided to destroy Paris in reprisal for French air raids on German towns, now it is generally believed that the eight Zeppelins, four of which were destroyed or captured, were returning from England and had lost their bearings owing to fog, and probably had lost touch with their wireless communications.

The log book of the Zeppelin which landed intact shows that she had been to England, and prisoners from three other airships confirm this. One of the men captured said that it was the lack of gasoline that forced his Zeppelin to descend.

The result of this raid is widely proclaimed by French observers as being proof of the superiority of the airplane over the Zeppelin. The day of the Zeppelin for bombardment, one expert says, is over. The sudden resumption of the use of the German dirigibles is explained by the theory that the raiding Zeppelins belonged to a new type which had lately been reported to be under construction at Lake Constance. No reports have yet been received that any damage was done by the Zeppelins or that bombs were dropped anywhere in France.

Set Fire to Airships.

Of the four Zeppelins lost two were destroyed and two were forced to descend. The two disabled airships, under attacks by aviators and air defense posts, descended in the Saone Valley and were forced to land in the neighborhood of Sisteron, in Basses-Alpes. The crews, after setting fire to the airships, attempted to flee, but were taken prisoners.

The first airship brought down fell at St. Clement, seven and a half miles south of Lunéville, and not at Rambervillers, as was earlier reported. This one was first seen at 6:20 A. M., traveling with two other airships against a wind blowing ten or eleven miles an hour. An anti-aircraft post fired a volley and the Zeppelin rose with a bound. A second volley pierced the envelope and the airship, bursting into flames, took a vertical position and fell at 6:45 A. M.

Five mangled bodies were found around the wreckage. The bodies of the other members of the crew remain buried in the smoking mass. No bombs were heard to explode.

About 2:20 P. M. the Zeppelin L-49 was forced by five battle planes to land near Bourbonne-les-Bains. All the battle planes came down at the same time and rushed the crew of the Zeppelin, prevented the destruction of the airship and made all of the thirty members of the crew prisoner. This dirigible is absolutely intact.

Somewhat later the L-50 landed near Dammartin, not far from Montigny-le-Roi, and two officers and fourteen men, including two slightly wounded, debarked. The crew detached one car and destroyed it. The airship, thus lightened, then departed, with four men aboard. One of the prisoners said the Zeppelin had left Oldenburg on the North Sea at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, bound for London. It lost itself in a fog, and, being unable to reach its objective, started to return.

A note issued by the War Office gives this summary of the results of the raid:

The first Zeppelin was brought down by artillery at St. Clement.

The second was forced by an aviator to land near Bourbonne-les-Bains.

The third was forced down at Lavrange, near Sisteron. The crew of four officers and fifteen men were taken prisoner after they had burned the airship.

The fourth Zeppelin was brought down in the same region about 2 P. M.

The fifth and sixth airships were reported passing above Gap, and were out of control.

The seventh landed at Montigny-le-Roi, debarked its wounded occupants, threw out ballast, and then departed. It was chased by aviators in the direction of Dôle and Besançon, and later was signaled, together with the eighth Zeppelin, as passing over Pontailler, in Côte d'Or, making for Switzerland.

Paris Prepared for Attack.

The Matin says that signal posts on the French front and behind it reported during the night that motor sounds, apparently those of Zeppelins, could be heard. As this information was confirmed from Compiègne and Meaux, the aerial defense of the entrenched camp at Paris took measures to repel an attack, and a preliminary warning was given to the city. The Zeppelins, however, did not come toward the capital.

About 6 o'clock in the morning a Zeppelin was seen above Auxerre, 105 miles southeast of Paris. Then came news that an airship had been brought down in flames near Montigny-le-Roi. Later a Zeppelin was reported making toward the south of France. It was signaled to the east of Lyons, then at St. Marcellin, in the Department of Isere, and then at Gap, forty-six miles southeast of Grenoble. Subsequently word came that the airship had been brought down between Gap and Sisteron by an aviator.

Demands New Air Ministry.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Friday night's Zeppelin raid on England called forth articles in The Sunday Times and Sunday Observer today demanding that there be no further delay on the part of the British Government in announcing the establishment of a new Air Ministry.

The Parliamentary correspondent of The Sunday Times says that the political group which is keeping an eye on Winston Spencer Churchill, Minister of Munitions, is convinced that he is manouvring for a transfer to the new Air Ministry as soon as Parliamentary authority for the latter department has been obtained. A good deal, he says, depends on whether General Smuts, Minister of Defense in the South African Union and a delegate in London for the War Cabinet, will be able to remain much longer in this country.

Meanwhile, adds the correspondent, Mr. Churchill is drastically reorganizing the Ministry of Munitions. He has dismissed two leading officials—S. F. Edge, Controller of the Agricultural Machinery Department, and Lieut. Col. A. G. Stern, the Director General of Mechanical Warfare Supply. Lieut. Col. Stern is one of the two officers entitled to the credit for originating the British tank.

The Weekly Dispatch says that it understands that Mr. Churchill has no desire to leave the Ministry of Munitions.

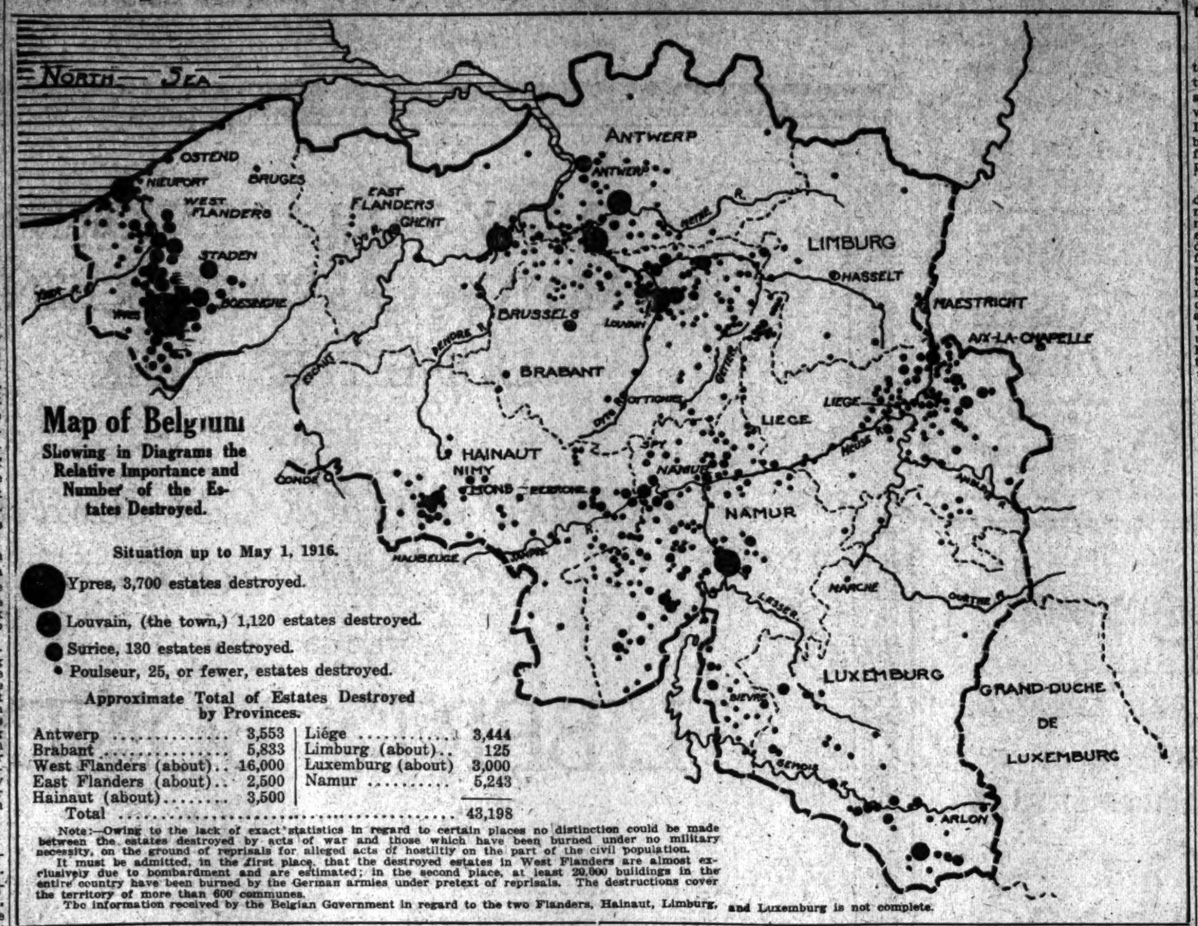
OUR MARINES HELPED FRENCH

Aided in Taking Germans Prisoners —Airship Absolutely Intact.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Oct. 21.—Several American Army officers today inspected the German Zeppelin L-49, brought down by French aviators Saturday. The machinery and instruments of the airship were undamaged, the first instance of its kind since the beginning of the war. All the German airship secrets are now known to the Americans.

A detachment of American marines, who happened to be traveling in the neighborhood, arrived at the spot soon after the Zeppelin landed, and assisted the French aviators in protecting the airship and making prisoners of its occupants.

Belgian Government Map Showing the 43,000 Estates Destroyed by the Germans.



Map of Belgium

Showing in Diagrams the Relative Importance and Number of the Estates Destroyed.

Situation up to May 1, 1916.

- Ypres, 3,700 estates destroyed.
- Louvain, (the town,) 1,120 estates destroyed.
- Surice, 130 estates destroyed.
- Poulseur, 25, or fewer, estates destroyed.

Approximate Total of Estates Destroyed by Provinces.

Antwerp	3,553	Liége	3,444
Brabant	5,833	Limburg (about)	125
West Flanders (about)	16,000	Luxemburg (about)	3,000
East Flanders (about)	2,500	Namur	5,243
Hainaut (about)	3,500		
Total			43,198

Note:—Owing to the lack of exact statistics in regard to certain places no distinction could be made between the estates destroyed by acts of war and those which have been burned under no military necessity, on the ground of reprisals for alleged acts of hostility on the part of the civil population.

It must be admitted, in the first place, that the destroyed estates in West Flanders are almost exclusively due to bombardment and are estimated; in the second place, at least 20,000 buildings in the entire country have been burned by the German armies under pretext of reprisals. The destructions cover the territory of more than 600 communes.

The information received by the Belgian Government in regard to the two Flanders, Hainaut, Limburg, and Luxemburg is not complete.

PATRIOT STIRS CHURCHMEN.

Dr. F. O. Hall Causes Outburst in Universalist Conference.

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 21.—A call to men and women to serve their country "to the last penny in their purses and the last drop of blood in their veins," delivered tonight by the Rev. Dr. Frank Oliver Hall of New York, brought the Universalist General Conference to a close in an outburst of patriotism. Speaking on the subject "Do your bit," Dr. Hall said:

"Men and women, there is no room to doubt that we stand at this very moment at the most critical period of human history. At this very instant events may be transpiring which will determine whether the race is to move forward to loftier achievements or plunge back once more into the abyss of the dark ages. At any rate, within the next few months it must and will be decided whether the ideals represented and expressed in our rallying cry, 'The universal fatherhood of God and the universal brotherhood of man,' are to be realized soon or postponed for centuries. It is no time for slackers."

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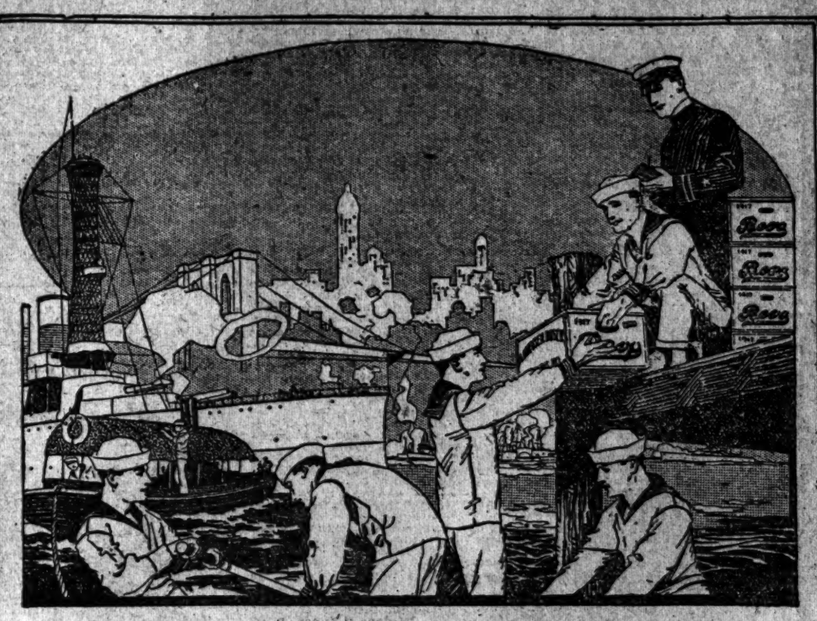

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BRITISH AIRSHIP SINKS TWO U-BOATS

Bombs One as It Dives and Tracks the Other by Its Torpedo Wake.

OFFICER'S GALLANT EXPLOIT

He Swims to a Drifting Mine and Ropes It, Afterward Towing It Into a Harbor.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The following incidents surrounding the anti-U-boat warfare have been taken from recent Admiralty records:

"One of our coastal airships sighted a steamer in distress. It was found that she had been torpedoed, but that she was towable. The airship summoned tugs by wireless and accompanied them toward port to protect the steamer. While thus engaged the airship sighted a U-boat's conning tower, five miles southeast, manoeuvring for another shot at the steamer.

"The airship instantly wirelessed the position of the submarine to all the warships in the vicinity, and then swooped down to attack. The submarine dived, but it was too late. Two bombs were dropped simultaneously in front of the swirl of the U-boat's descent, and violent explosions were followed by oil and air bubbles in large quantities. A destroyer investigating with sweeps located a large obstruction on the bottom.

"The same airship, convoying westbound merchantmen, sighted the track of a torpedo aimed at one of the merchantmen. The submarine, relying on the rough sea for concealment, had daringly dived beneath the armed escort and torpedoed its victim. The weather was very bad, but the airship, at a speed of ninety miles an hour, followed the residual track of the torpedo until it sighted the outline of the submerged submarine proceeding westward.

"The airship turned and released bombs above the sinister shadow. The explosion was followed by a vast emission of air bubbles. A calcium flare was dropped to mark the spot, and patrol boats made assurance doubly sure by depth charges.

"A British oiler was torpedoed at dawn in very thick weather. A patrol ship circled round at high speed, endeavoring to sight the enemy. After a quarter of an hour an object was sighted through the thick mist on the starboard. The patrol promptly altered its course and rammed a large submarine abaft the conning tower. The U-boat rolled completely over with a violent explosion and vanished. Two men were seen struggling in the water and one was made prisoner.

"The officer commanding a motor launch sighted a drifting mine while a heavy sea was running. Attempts to sink the mine by gunfire failed. Darkness was approaching, after which the mine would have been lost to sight and would have drifted away, menacing navigation. The officer lowered a boat and pulled toward the mine, which now and then was visible as a wake broke in foam over its round top and sinister horns. Having pulled as close as he dared, the officer jumped overboard and swam to the mine with a line, which he passed through the ring-bolt on top, enabling the launch to tow the mine into smooth water, where it was destroyed. The officer's act was one of daring, as the ring-bolt could only be reached with the greatest difficulty, and a mistake or an inadvertant touch of one of the horns would have brought the episode to a swift conclusion."

PRUSSIAN CROPS FALL BELOW PREDICTIONS

Grain Situation Threatens Reduced Bread Ration—Less Milk, Meat, and Butter.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 21.—A strongly censored official report of the discussion of the food conditions by the Budget Committee of the Prussian Diet, the session of which was held behind closed doors, shows that except for the potato crop, which promises to be satisfactory, the food situation is by no means as rosy as the Government has been trying to paint it.

The grain situation is such that only hope, not certainty, can be expressed that the bread supply will last the entire year, and in any case the present bread ration can be maintained only by the use of substitutes, further affecting the quality of the bread, for which flour is now milled to 82 per cent. of the grain. Conditions have not permitted improvement of the flour by less exhaustive milling.

Bread and potatoes will be the bulk of the ration, as the meat allowance will almost certainly be reduced. Milk and butter will be available even in scantier amounts than now, when infants' milk allowance has had to be reduced.

OUR AVIATORS IN ITALY.

Americans in Training There Warmly Greeted by the People.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Oct. 21.—Near a small town in Italy some Americans are training for aviation service. The Giornale d'Italia says that they already have acquired a practical knowledge of piloting and that they have given proof of their perfect discipline and seriousness of purpose. Their instuctors have expressed the greatest satisfaction with their work.

The inhabitants of the town came out in crowds at their arrival to welcome the allies who had crossed the ocean from the country to which so many Italians had emigrated. They display the greatest curiosity in watching the Americans in their leisure hours playing tennis and baseball, which are unknown in that part of Italy.

The Italian papers regard this first group of American fighters as a promise of future contributions which the Republic will give to the cause of right and justice.

OSTEND, U-BOAT BASE, SHELLED FROM THE SEA

Official German Report Says That Houses in the Town Were Damaged.

BERLIN, Oct. 21, (British Admiralty per Wireless Press.)—The Belgian port of Ostend (one of the German submarine bases on the North Sea) has been bombarded from the sea, it was announced by the German War Office today, houses in the city being damaged.

The official report says:

"Ostend has been bombarded from the sea. Damage has been caused to houses in the town."

LONDON, Oct. 21.—British naval airplanes dropped a large quantity of bombs on the Engel airdrome and the docks at Bruges, in Belgium, Friday night, causing a fire in the German establishments. An Admiralty statement says:

On the night of the 19th of October and the morning of the 20th bombing raids by naval aircraft were carried out on the Bruges docks and the Engel airdrome. A fire is reported to have broken out. Large quantities of explosives were dropped. All our machines returned.

BRITISH DEFEAT TURKS NORTHEAST OF BAGDAD

Enveloping Movement Forces the Foe from the Plain to the Mountains.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—British troops in Mesopotamia on Friday began an enveloping movement near the Persian frontier, northeast of Bagdad, and drove the Turkish forces in the vicinity of Kizil-Robat across the Diala River. An official statement issued today reporting these operations says:

We have carried out successful operations in the vicinity of Deltawa and Kizil-Robat. Our columns began an enveloping movement on Friday and drove the enemy across the Diala.

The Turks destroyed the bridge at Kizil-Robat and retreated to the southern hills of the Jebel-Hamrin Ridge. We took some prisoners and captured wagon loads of ammunition.

GERMAN PLAN THAT FAILED.

Verdun Offensive Prevented a Big August Drive in Champagne.

By G. H. PERRIS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES, Oct. 18 (Delayed.)—Documents taken on the battlefield, with other information, reveals a curious story of the failure of the plan for a great German attack which was to have been made at the end of August on the French lines in central Champagne.

According to the plan a front of six miles to the west of the butte or hill of Souain was to be carried by assault to a depth of two miles. The First Bavarian Division was to effect the operation with the help of two neighboring divisions. It was to be a model affair.

Fifteen groups of shock troops, every man of them trained to his particular task, were provided, and an unusually severe use of poison gas was to be made by six companies of pioneers.

The most elaborate organization had been prepared for what the German army orders called a "Sommerernte" (Summer harvest).

The French preparations for the Verdun offensive first interfered with this amiable object by calling away some of the best troops. This and the prevalence of winds unfavorable to the use of gas caused the postponement of the action till the beginning of September. Then the French discovered what was in preparation. Their artillery fire was doubled and quadrupled. The German project had been reduced to modest proportions in view of the unceasing calls of the Verdun front. Now, however, the Souain front had to be reinforced, if only as a precaution.

Still the French guns thundered. Many poison gas reservoirs were exploded to the dire confusion of the German lines. The cannonade continued in full blast till French patrols and observers could find no more trace of the gas tanks, and during all this time the volume of fire was such that the organization even of a small enemy infantry attack was practically impossible.

About Sept. 10 the attempt was abandoned. The "Summer harvest" of Souain was the worst of failures.

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The schedule of production for an automobile factory calls for a definite output for a year. Materials are purchased and the cars allotted to dealers. When these cars are sold, materials bought on a later market go into the next production.

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LA FOLLETTE DENIES FIGHTING BOND SALE

Franked Out Tax Bill Speeches, He Says, to Agitate for Higher Profits Levy.

ALLEGES NEWSPAPER MALICE

References to Liberty Loan He Made in Debate Not Included in His Pamphlets, He Asserts.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, who is awaiting further developments in the investigation of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections into his alleged seditious utterances, issued a "statement to the press" tonight defending his action in circulating throughout the country, under Government frank, pamphlets with a reprint of attacks he made during the Senate debate on the War Revenue bill.

The Wisconsin Senator denies that he spread these pamphlets over the country to hurt the sale of the Liberty Loan bonds. His intent, he says, was to inaugurate a campaign for higher taxation on wealth in tax measures that will come before the next Congress.

The statement says:

"Certain individuals and newspapers are persistently giving wide circulation to a mendacious and libelous statement launched a day or so ago by a New York newspaper to the effect that certain of my speeches made in the Senate during the debate on the War Revenue bill are being willfully circulated by me for the purpose of and with the result of obstructing the second bond sale, now in progress.

"Shortly after the bill passed I took from The Congressional Record portions of what I had said from time to time during the debate and reprinted the same, at my own expense, in three pamphlets, and three only, for distribution. I believed then, and I believe now, that the distribution of the pamphlets would aid in awakening a public interest and in organizing a public opinion which would induce Congress at the next session to more adequately and justly tax war profits and surplus incomes. I printed and circulated the pamphlets for this reason, and for no other reason.

"It is true that, in debating one of my amendments before the Senate on Sept. 7 for the sole purpose of persuading Senators to support the amendment, I referred to the influence which the refusal of Congress to properly tax wealth might have upon the next bond sale. It is all embraced in a single paragraph of thirty-three lines.

"No part of this paragraph or the speech of which it was a part, and no reference to it or the proposition with which it deals, is included in any of the three pamphlets distributed on the revenue bill, or in any other matter or thing which I have written or spoken upon that measure.

"But it remained for certain newspapers, prompted by malice, having the interests of wealth especially in their keeping to dig it out of The Congressional Record, where it was reposing in harmless security, and give it the widest publicity by falsely suggesting and even asserting that I had circulated it as a part of a speech franked out by the thousands, while the Treasury was struggling to sell a second bond issue.

"Now the war profiteers are opposed to paying more than 31 per cent. on their war profits. Indeed, they tried to get off with a 27 per cent. tax. And it makes them furious to suggest their paying the English rate of 80 per cent. Hence their press assails the distribution of speeches which will marshal the public opinion of the country in support of legislation increasing the tax on wealth at the next session of Congress.

"This is the real motive back of the assault upon me. This is the real motive back of the attack upon my distribution of speeches upon the War Revenue bill."

1,200,000 STARVING IN SYRIA.

Rev. W. H. Hall Says 1,000 a Day Are Dying in Lebanon Mountains.

A thousand deaths a day from starvation out of a population of 350,000 in the Lebanon Mountains, near Beirut, Syria, is the toll of famine conditions there resulting from the war, according to the Rev. William H. Hall of the Syrian Protestant College, who recently returned to this country from relief work in that district.

Mr. Hall described the tragic disappointment of the people there, whose spirits were kept up for weeks by the promised arrival last Christmas time of the American relief ship Caesar, which would have meant life to thousands, but which never arrived owing to the refusal of Germany and Austria-Hungary to grant her safe passage to Beirut.

The Caesar, a naval collier loaned to the Red Cross by the Navy Department, left New York months before the entry of this country into the war, as a "Christmas ship" for the needy in Syria, carrying more than a quarter of a million dollars' worth of food and clothing contributed in this country.

"If the Caesar had arrived," said Mr. Hall, "it would have meant that other ships would follow, but her failure to come dashed all hope for relief. Her cargo was sold and the funds finally found their way to Beirut for the purchase and distribution of food there, but there was little food to be bought.

"We know for a fact that thousands of our friends there will die this Winter, despite the great good that can be accomplished by sending funds from America to buy what food can be obtained on the ground for distribution in an efofrt to save as many as possible.

"In Jerusalem one cannot pass along a street without being beset by prayers for aid. There are mothers with babes pulling at their barren breasts, and children whose parents have succumbed and left them to face starvation alone.

"Syria and Palestine have no story of massacre or deportation, but these districts, once prosperous and self-supporting, are now caught in the world strife, and the people are slowly but surely starving to death through no fault of their own. Figures appall one—competent authorities assert that not less than 1,200,000 persons are today in dire distress in these historic Bible lands.

"The funds collected in this country by the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief are being disbursed through these American missionaries and teachers of the American College in Beirut. Even though hundreds die for lack of food, because money cannot buy enough there to go round, great good can be done if funds are forthcoming from this country generously enough.

HARMONICAS FOR SOLDIERS.

Plea That Musical Instruments Be Sent in Christmas Bags.

Special to The New York Times.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., Oct. 21.—The American soldiers in France like harmonicas. This announcement was made today by Mrs. Fay Simmons Davis, who is interested in local war relief work, in pointing out articles that are desirable for inclusion in "Christmas bags."

Mrs. Davis said that in conversation with a man who had just returned from the American camp in France, she was told that there was no more acceptable gift than a harmonica. The few that are in the camp are borrowed constantly. Mrs. Davis's informant said he knew of nothing so small that would give so much entertainment to the soldiers.

PREDICTS AIR RAIDS ON AMERICAN CITIES

Dr. Lyman B. Powell, Back from War Front, Asserts Germany Is Planning Attack.

BUILDING HUGE SEAPLANES

New Machines, He Says, Will Travel 100 to 200 Miles an Hour—Reports British Cruiser Sunk.

Dr. Lyman B. Powell, President of Hobart College, who has returned from the war zone, where he had unusual opportunities to observe conditions, said yesterday that the Germans were planning to raid the American coast with their airships within the next six months. To accomplish this, he said, they were now engaged in building a fleet of huge hydroaeroplanes which could travel from 100 to 200 miles an hour, and could rise to a height of 20,000 feet, if necessary.

"It is a mistaken policy," said Dr. Powell, "to suppress or minimize the seriousness of the situation. The American public is not even half awakened to the havoc that has been wrought by the airplanes in England. The casualties are much greater than the people over here have been led to believe. Since May 1 2,000 men, women, and children have been maimed or killed in London by air raids. The German airships recently made the Charing Cross Hospital their objective. Several bombs were hurled at the hospital, smashing all the windows in the place.

"It is just such a peril that we are facing in this country, but we won't realize it. French military experts have informed me that the Germans were building airplanes on such a huge scale that the Allies would have to work ten times as fast as they are to keep up with them. In the first place, they are devoting themselves entirely to the construction of biplanes that will be capable or operating from a height of 20,000 feet—airplanes, furthermore, that will be able to carry at least two tons of bombs. The Allies thus far have been unable to produce machines on such a scale. That is why French experts are eager to have America build her machines in France. Before the American machines are brought to France the Germans will have put them out of date by a far more improved engine of aerial warfare.

"The Germans intend to settle this war with the airplane. What is more, they intend to carry the war right to our doors with a fleet of huge hydroairplanes, which will be able to travel from 100 to 200 miles an hour. It is about time that the people here knew the truth about these things. Thus far the western line and the British fleet have stood between America and the fate of Belgium. But airplanes that can rise to a height of 20,000 feet and travel from 100 to 200 miles an hour will overcome even those barriers, and America, unless she is awake, unless she is prepared, is from that moment at Germany's mercy."

Dr. Powell said that the submarine menace was also very much underestimated.

"Thanks to Mr. Grasty of THE NEW YORK TIMES," said Dr. Powell, "the American public has been able to get some real light on the submarine situation. His estimate of the entire situation are absolutely reliable."

Dr. Powell delivered an address upon these matters at the St. George's Episcopal Church in Stuyvesant Square yesterday.

SCHERER, BOLO'S AID, WELL KNOWN IN MEXICO

Banker Who Plotted a German Protectorate Backed Felix Diaz's Revolution.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 21.—Hugo Scherer, who, according to testimony given by Baron Guenin in a deposition made in Paris, aided Bolo Pacha in machinations to enable Germany to establish a protectorate over Mexico, is well known here. He fled to London after the downfall of the revolution of Felix Diaz, in whose plans and those of the Cientifico Party he had figured prominently.

According to information here, Scherer, when the European war broke out, claimed Mexican citizenship in order to save himself from being interned in England, but when it was discovered that he was really a German he was expelled from England, proceeding to Spain, where it is believed he is at present.

In the course of his business career in Mexico City Scherer was a Director in virtually every important bank and industrial concern, including the National Railways.

BISHOPS PLEDGE LOYALTY.

Leaders of Methodist Episcopal Church Hold a Patriotic Rally.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Oct. 21.—At a patriotic rally conducted by the Board of Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church at the New Nixon Theatre this afternoon, Bishop Richard J. Cook of Helena, Mon., sounded a plea for united support for the Administration, paid a high tribute to the President and denounced the I. W. W. An audience of sixteen Bishops and nearly 2,000 heard that the Methodist Episcopal Church is whole-heartedly supporting the decision of the United States and the Allies to fight on until the backbone of Germany has been broken and a world democracy accomplished.

"Germany has brazenly defied all laws of humanity," said Bishop Cook, "and has attempted to wreck civilization through a carefully conceived plan of forty years. We must crush her lawless ambition. We are not in the war for conquest or for indemnities. The present is no time for controversy, no time for La Follettes, Gronnas or Smiths.

"There must be an end to the I. W. W., antagonistic socialism and disloyalty. We stand for freedom of speech, but not treasonous utterances. Give no credence or attention to peace pleas, even though they come from the Vatican.

"One man towers above the rest, Wilson, President of the United States. The democratic peoples of the world have intrusted their future in his hands, and there will be peace without lust. Old Glory will be the first flag to wave in the world of democracy."

PARIS ANARCHIST ARRESTED

Seized at Office of Editor He Intended to Kill.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—Lecoin, a notorious anarchist, was arrested last night as he was entering the offices of the Socialist newspaper La Victoire, edited by Gustave Hervé. Lecoin recently declared that he would do something that would have a tremendous moral effect. He explained later that he meant to kill Hervé. When arrested the anarchist was carrying a loaded revolver.

BRITISH VICTORY IN EAST AFRICA

German Town Taken in Severe Fighting with Heavy Losses on Both Sides.

BELGIAN FORCES LINK UP

Cordon Around the Defeated Germans Fast Closing in as They Retreat Eastward.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Heavy fighting is going on between British and German forces in German East Africa. The British War Office announced today that the mission station at Nyangao was occupied by the British on Oct. 17, after which the battle was resumed to the west of that place. The British force sustained considerable casualties, and the German losses also were severe. The text of the statement follows:

Our right column, after advancing southward from the Mbemkuru Valley, occupied Rupondo on Oct. 11, and established itself at the Lukelesdi Mission on Oct. 17, the enemy withdrawing to the eastward.

The main body of the enemy, retreating from Mbemkuru Valley, covered by a strong rear guard, succeeded in making its way to Mahiwa, four miles southwest of Nyangao. The enemy rear guard, closely followed, was driven from its successive defensive positions.

On Oct. 15 an attack on the enemy's positions at Mpama was commenced, the German force being driven on to Nyangao.

On the 17th an enveloping movement around the mission station resulted in severe fighting, but by nightfall Nyangao had been occupied. The next day more severe fighting commenced to the west of Nyangao and still is proceeding. The British casualties were considerable, and the enemy's losses also were severe.

In the Mahenge area Belgian columns advanced southward, and are in touch with the British advancing from the west.

In the Luwegu Valley the British are engaged at Klingoli, forty-three miles southeast of Mahenge, with a strong enemy detachment which had been driven from the vicinity of Mpondas.

SHIP HULL A BREAKWATER.

Old Floating Hotel of John Arbuckle Now at Oyster Bay.

Those who use the ferry for the transportation of automobiles across the Long Island Sound, between Greenwich and Oyster Bay, will be interested in knowing that the breakwater at Oyster Bay is the now useless hulk of the one-time famous ship the Jacob S. Stamler. The name of this craft is as familiar to old sailors as the name of Roosevelt is to the residents of Oyster Bay. The Jacob S. Stamler's last service was as a floating hotel, a venture financed by John Arbuckle.

From its passive service now as a breakwater back to 1856, when the ship was launched in Brooklyn, is a far cry. Then the ship was at various times a feature of every harbor in the seven seas. Her career was fraught with good luck and fat profits. But newer and faster ships, with brighter sides, but with no stauncher heart, crowded her out of the busy sea ways and, finally, has left her resting on the bed of the Sound. In twenty years, which is the usual life of breakwaters, she will serve as faithfully as she always has served, and then the restless waters will wash her away to the haven where good ships are rewarded.

ASTOR'S FATHER-IN-LAW IN TRANSPORT SERVICE

Robert P. Huntington Receives Lieutenant's Commission and Is Assigned to Duty.

Robert P. Huntington, father-in-law of Vincent Astor, has received his commission as a Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve, and has already been assigned to the transport service on a ship carrying troops to France. He passed his examination for a commission several weeks ago, but received orders to report for duty in the transport service only a few days ago.

It was said at the Huntington home, Hopeland House, at Staatsburg, in Dutchess County, adjoining the Astor home at Rhinebeck, that Mr. Huntington had reported for duty after receiving his commission, but no one was able to say where he had gone aboard ship. Mrs. Huntington and her daughter, Miss Alice F. Huntington, have gone South for the Winter, it was said.

Mr. Huntington has been a yachtsman and a member of the New York Yacht Club since his graduation from Yale, in 1891. He began an intensive study of navigation when his son-in-law, Vincent Astor, was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve. He is a member of the University, Knickerbocker, Tuxedo, Racquet and Tennis, and the Yale Clubs. He is about 48 years old and a direct descendant of Samuel Huntington, a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Vincent Astor, who was married to Helen D. Huntington on April 30, 1914, is now in active service with the American fleet in European waters, and Mrs. Astor is in relief and hospital work in France.

TRIED TO RAM SUBMARINE.

British Captain Gets $250 Award for Saving His Steamship.

The chief officer of a British steamship which arrived yesterday at an Atlantic port has won $250 from the marine underwriters of Lloyd's, London, for saving the vessel when she was attacked by a submarine on the eastward passage. In describing the incident, the officer said that it was about 5 o'clock in the afternoon when he saw the submarine rise to the surface about a mile away on the port bow. The destroyer which was convoying the steamship was passing under the stern toward the starboard quarter.

"We were steaming about sixteen knots," the officer continued, "and after signaling to the destroyer with one blast of the whistle, to show where the U-boat was, I put the head of the ship to port and started at full speed to ram the craft. That was the time her commander fired the torpedo which would have hit us if we had not been swinging over. Almost a minute later the destroyer was on the spot and dropped a depth bomb, which caused such an agitation below the surface that the commander was confident he had blown the U-boat to pieces. Very little wreckage comes to the surface after a submarine has been hit by a bomb well below the surface."

Coast Patrol Aground; Crew Safe.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—One of the small vessels detailed to the Atlantic Coast patrol has been driven ashore in a storm and slightly damaged, without any casualties to the men on board, according to a statement authorized by Secretary Daniels.

ARTIST SEEKS DEATH.

Suffering From Nervousness, Miss Swope Tried to Jump From Window.

Virginia Swope, an artist, of Richmond Hill, Queens, was taken to Bellevue Hospital yesterday from the Hotel Martinique and put in the psychopathic ward for observation. Her mother, Mrs. Catherine Swope, said that her daughter had suffered a nervous shock in an automobile accident several months ago and had not recovered from it.

Mrs. Swope took her daughter from the hotel several days ago, intending to move to the Van Dyck Studios at 939 Eighth Avenue, near Fifty-sixth Street, but the girl became excited and began to cry for the police. When the automobile stopped at the door the chauffeur, her mother, and nurse had to use force to keep her from running away. She continued to call for the police, and Policeman Ernest Noble of the West Forty-seventh Street Station arrived just as the party reached the apartment on the third floor.

Miss Swope had broken from the grasp of her mother and nurse and was about to leap from the window when the policeman caught her by the ankles. She struggled so desperately that he was unable to pull her back to the room, and Francis J. Furrow of 428 West Fifty-fourth Street had to aid in getting her back to the window ledge. Physicians advised the mother to take her back to her accustomed room at the Martinique, whence she was taken to Bellevue yesterday.

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JUNKERS FOILED GERMAN SOCIALISTS

Defeated Attempt to Reply to the Pope with Offer of Free Belgium.

STILL PROMISED VICTORY

Told of "Thousands of Friends" Working in America to Cause Trouble in Our Plans.

By JULIAN GRANDE.

BERNE, Oct. 1.—The German reply to the Papal note was, I learn from an excellent source, modified at the last moment owing to pressure from the Pan Germans and Junkers. This, it is true, has been denied officially by the German Legation in Berne, which, however, has so far not denied that a conference was held in Berlin, attended by representatives of all the political parties, at which the question of the answer to the note was discussed. Seeing that this meeting was not even mentioned in the German press, I may here give a summary of its proceedings.

The Socialists, supported by some of the Centre Party, demanded an unambiguous statement of the German peace terms, as follows: That Belgium should be evacuated and partially restored at Germany's expense; that Serbia should be evacuated and partially restored by Austria; that Rumania should be evacuated, but no war indemnity paid her; that Poland should be left an independent State, and Courland be evacuated and left to settle her own affairs, while certain of Germany's colonies were to be given back to her.

If, argued the Socialists, such a reply was sent to the Papal note, then public opinion in England, France, Italy, and particularly in America would turn in Germany's favor, and she would be saved from ruin. If, on the contrary, the Germans persist in holding out, as the Pan Germanists and Junkers desire, then they would have the rest of the world against them and would be altogether lost.

The members of the Fatherland Party opposed the Socialist demands, arguing as follows: "We have held out for more than three years, and if we continue to hold out another few months there are certain to be dissensions among the Allies. If we show any weakness, then we shall be doing just what the Entente Governments desire."

One member of the Junker party assured the conference that before long Germany would have Italy as much disorganized as Russia, and that the Germans had thousands of friends in America who would before long cause serious trouble in the United States.

"If we only hold out," the Junkers concluded, "we shall have all our enemies' countries so much disorganized that at the psychological moment we shall be able to step in and dictate peace on our own terms."

Of course the Junkers prevailed, so that the reply to the Papal note was inconclusive farrago, which even the Germans themselves do not know or pretend not to know how to interpret.

Hiding Opinion by Censorship.

Those who imagine that they can glean any news as to the real condition of Germany by reading press extracts from German papers are mistaken. Even an experienced journalist, accustomed to read the German press daily and understanding to some extent the workings of the German mind, is unable to read the truth between its censored lines.

The severity with which the German press is censored, moreover, is not decreasing, but is rather being increased, and its leader writers know all too well what awaits them should they chance to use an expression to which the authorities object.

As for the speeches of German statesmen, politicians, and others, they are no less carefully prepared and censored than the leading articles; while it is as much as an editor's freedom is worth even to mention that certain Socialist and other meetings have taken place. Even when a meeting of the newly formed Fatherland Party (mostly extremists and Pan Germans) is held, the reports of its proceedings are carefully emasculated before being allowed to appear.

It is clear, therefore, that to try to base trustworthy conclusions as to the present state of Germany upon German press extracts is to attempt the impossible.

Again, Germany manages her press campaign with such skill that if she wishes an idea to be circulated, but does not desire that it should appear in a German paper, she causes it to be inserted in a paper under her control in a neighboring country. For the last fortnight she has been anxious that the German people should subscribe to the seventh war loan, and the best way to insure this seemed to her to be to set afloat a rumor that England had issued "a peace feeler." This rumor appeared, dressed up so as to look as little like a rumor and as much like a fact as possible, in all her controlled papers in Switzerland, and then in the German and Austrian press.

The German papers even went to the length of publishing long articles upon this alleged English peace offer, treating it almost as if it were an accomplished fact—in short, so that any but a very careful reader would believe it to be a fact. Unquestionably many Germans have been subscribing to the seventh war loan under the impression that it will undoubtedly be the last.

Another device for raking in seventh war loan subscriptions was to pretend that the peoples in Entente countries, especially in England, were far more inclined to peace than the Governments; that the British press gave a false notion of the opinions of the British people, and that in reality the Entente countries were very favorably impressed by the German and particularly by the Austrian reply to the Papal note.

"We need not," it is argued, "take the extracts telegraphed by Reuter too seriously, as they only represent the London press, which is merely the Northcliffe press. The great provincial papers in England and Scotland take a very different view, and that is why Reuter does not quote them more."

I fear that there is some foundation of truth in this German contention, because Reuter rarely does quote any important British papers outside of London, which omission is doing harm to the British and allied cause. Neutral countries ought to be better informed than they are as to the real opinion of the British public. In the neutral press there is seldom any reference to what the dwellers in British self-governing dominions or other colonies or the United States think about the war, and the general result is that the neutral world is considerably less well informed about the Allies than about the German Empire.

Press Under Government's Thumb.

In Germany and also in Austria the press works hand in hand with the Government, which in war time is an advantage. For instance, the German Government now desires it to be thought that Germany is becoming distinctly democratic. Consequently, carefully worded articles concerning the growth of the democratic spirit in Germany are inserted even in such organs as the Cologne Gazette, not to speak of the Vorwärts, (which it is chiefly useful to read in order to know what Germany wishes to be thought of herself abroad.) The object of such articles is, of course, that they should be reproduced in the neutral and allied press, so as to mislead public opinion.

There is nothing now more to be dreaded than that Germany should delude the world into believing that she has undergone a democratizing process, from which she is in reality as far as possible, and that a demand should arise for concluding peace with her on this false assumption.

In Germany at present, from the Kaiser to the very few real Social Democrats, most of whom are imprisoned, a belief prevails that the Germans will manage to conquer by the skill with which they can use bluff and pretense.

OUR SAILORS WANT A BAND.

Anxious to Have It Play the National Anthem at the Overseas Base.

Correspondence of The Associated Press.

BASE OF THE AMERICAN FLOTILLA IN BRITISH WATERS, Sept. 24.—Uncle Sam's sailors here are asking for a brass band. They want it to play the National Anthem morning and evening at the raising and lowering of the colors, just as they used to hear it back home. About the only time that they have heard "The Star-Spangled Banner" since their arrival in these waters was when it was played on the chimes of the cathedral here. They may not ever again hear it played there, because the organist who knows how has just been conscripted into the naval branch of the British military machine.

The American bluejacket is intensely patriotic. So is his new-found comrade, the British tar. But the latter is reminded of his patriotism more often than the American bluejacket because "God, Save the King" is played at the close of every theatrical performance or public function. The American stands at attention and salutes on occasions like these. He says he would like to do the same thing to "The Star-Spangled Banner," but he seldom gets the chance.

The "Banner," which is the brief way the sailor has of naming the American anthem, is played now and again in the United States Naval Men's Club House here by the combined string orchestras from the two tenders, or mother ships, here. But this is not enough, and besides, the sailors hold that nothing but a brass band can do justice to the national air and fire them with the proper enthusiasm.

Almost every evening here, groups of these youthful sailormen walk along the beach singing. Two of their favorites are "Don't Bite the Hand That's Feeding You," and "America, I Love You." And they never forget "Tipperary," which still is popular alike with British tars and American sailors.

ROUT VENIZELOS MEN BY POLICE WHISTLE

Chairman Signals for Ejections at Carnegie Hall When Greeks Get Turbulent.

ASK AMERICA TO STEP IN

Resolutions Adopted Assailing Present Greek Administration and Urging Constantine's Return.

About 1,000 Greeks, a majority of them said to be American citizens, assembled in Carnegie Hall last night for the purpose of denouncing Eleutherios Venizelos, the leader of the Greek factions that favor the cause of the Allies, and at the same time to cheer the United States for entering the war on the side of those same Allies. One of the men in charge of the meeting, in an effort to explain the peculiar situation, said that the opposition to Venizelos was "purely a personal matter" on the part of the 1,000 or mere Greeks who were present, and added that the fact that they did not approve of the dethronement of Constantine, the Kaiser's brother-in-law, did not mean that they were pro-German.

When P. A. Seovis, Chairman of the meeting, rapped for order shortly after 9 o'clock the hall was about half full, but what the meeting lacked in the way of attendance was more than made up in noise, for according to veteran attachés last night's throng was the most lusty-lunged that Carnegie Hall has sheltered in a decade. Some Venizelos enthusiasts were present, and now and then tried to make themselves heard above the uproar. When they did the Chairman took a police whistle from his pocket and blew until the detectives in the back part of the hall had ejected the men who shouted "Zito Venizelos," which is the same as a hurrah for him in English.

The meeting was scheduled to start at 8 o'clock. D. J. Theophalatus and Mr. Seovis, who were in charge, arrived at the appointed time, but the crowd was very slim at that hour, and so the opening was postponed until the Greek Boy Scouts' Band had increased the attendance by playing everything from "My Old Kentucky Home" to a Greek tune, the English translation of the name of which sounds something like "Away Down South in Saloniki."

Secret Service Men Arrive.

A few minutes after 8 o'clock two young men arrived, who Carnegie Hall attachés said were Secret Service agents. These men asked for Mr. Seovis and conferred for more than half an hour with him. The agents had been informed by Venizelos adherents that last night's meeting was to be along lines which the Kaiser would not find it difficult to approve. The Secret Service men wanted advance information as under the espionage laws of the United States pro-German meetings are no longer possible in the United States. Mr. Seovis assured the Government agents that the meeting was to be pro-Ally in every sense of the word, except that Venizelos, the friend of the Allies and the champion of their cause in Greece, would not be indorsed, but would be "for purely personal reasons" denounced as a foe of the Greek nation.

At 9 o'clock the meeting got under way. The Boy Scouts' Band started it by playing "The Star-Spangled Banner." Everybody cheered, and a Greek boy waved a big American flag. Then the band played the Greek anthem and another Greek boy waved the emblem of Greece. There was more cheering, and after that came the first speech, Mr. Seovis making it.

Mr. Seovis spoke in Greek. The only English words he uttered numbered two. One was "Woodrow" and the other was "Wilson." A young Greek who interpreted Mr. Seovis's remarks, said that they were very complimentary to the President, and that that was why everybody shouted "zito." Likewise the crowd cheered when the speaker spoke his mind about the "terrible" Venizelos, except of course those in the the back of the hall who were later to be whistled out of the hall.

After Mr. Seovis a tall clean-shaven young Greek took the floor. He kept the crowd shouting for nearly three-quarters of an hour.

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The next speaker, Louis Kutner, spoke in English. Mr. Kutner made no mention of Constantine, Venizelos, Zaimis, or any of the other Greeks who have figured in the turmoil which has marked the last three years of Greek history. Instead, he talked about the United States. If those present, he declared, were as good citizens as they said they were, and he had no doubt that they were, they would support the United States to their last man and last dollar in the fight that was now on to rid the world of Prussianism. A good way to show their love for America, he said, was to buy Liberty bonds, and to buy as many of them as each man could possibly afford.

When Mr. Kutner concluded, Mr. Seovis again took the floor, and this time he had circulated through the audience cards for each person present to sign. When a man signed one of these cards it meant that he gave his approval to a certain set of resolutions, addressed to Secretary of State Lansing, copies of which had been handed to each person as he entered the hall. It was said afterward that practically every person present had indorsed the resolutions.

There were many preambles to the resolutions assailing Venizelos and the formation of the provisional Saloniki Government. Summed up, the resolutions themselves accused Mr. Venizelos of all sorts of illegal acts and called upon the United States to intervene for the purpose of calling a general election and "turning the Greek Government back to the Greek people." In conclusion the resolutions expressed the devotion of the signers to the President of the United States and placed at the disposal of the Government their lives and fortunes.

It was during the signing of the resolutions and while Mr. Seovis was speaking that cheers were given for Venizelos. At the very first "zito" Mr. Seovis put his police whistle to his lips and started to blow. He blew so hard, and the whistle was in such good working order that it could be heard above the din of voices and for a block in either direction on Seventh Avenue. When Mr. Seovis stopped blowing the Venizelos partisans were in Fifty-seventh Street.

At this point the meeting came to an end. The Venizelos adherents announced that they would hold a meeting in two weeks.

Police Searching for Missing Boy.

A general alarm was sent out yesterday by the Missing Persons Bureau at Police Headquarters for thirteen-year-old Thomas Kent, who has been missing from his home, 918 Pacific Street, Brooklyn, since May 21. He is 5 feet 2 inches tall, and of light hair and complexion. When he left home he wore a brown suit and a gray cap. F. S. Kent, his father, has heard several times since the boy's disappearance that he has applied for work or lodging in different parts of the city.

CONVICTED OF RIOT MURDER

Two East St. Louis Defendants Sentenced to Prison.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Oct. 21.—John Dow and Charles Hanna were found guilty tonight of the murder of William Keyser, a merchant, in the East St. Louis race riots. Both were sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary. The jury disagreed in the case of Harry Robinson, the third man charged with Keyser's murder. He will get a new trial.

Keyser was shot and instantly killed on July 2 as he stood in the doorway of his store watching the rioters in the street. The State asserted that he was killed by a bullet fired at a negro, while the defense contended that the shot was fired by negroes.

The next riot trials, set for Wednesday, are those of Albert McCabe, a white man, charged with arson, and Horace King, a negro, charged with murder.

GOVERNMENT HAY BURNED.

Authorities Suspect Incendiarism in $100,000 Cincinnati Fire.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 21.—An auxiliary plant of the Early & Daniels Hay and Grain Company was destroyed by fire here today with a loss of $100,000.

The plant was devoted exclusively to hay-pressing on Government contracts. An inspection of the hay by Federal officers was to have taken place Monday.

A small fire was extinguished in the east wing of the building earlier in the day. The second fire started in the west wing. hTe authorities are working on a theory of incendiarism. Several explosions were heard before the fire got beyond control.

STILL OPPOSE RIBOT.

Enemies of French Foreign Minister Keep Cabinet Crisis Acute.

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The wage and other demands will be decided by a board composed of equal representation from the company and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and one neutral member.

The offer that led to the settlement was submitted to the men on Saturday night at a conference attended by Colonel Michael J. Reagan of the State Department of Labor; J. J. Bealin, State Arbitrator; Henry Moskowitz, New York City Commissioner of Markets; M. J. Cashal, Vice President of the Brotherhood of Teamsters; Charles A. Weisnat, President of the Borden's Farm Products Company, and P. D. Fox, sales manager of the company.

As the company officials had been inclined to doubt the strength of the union, the men gave a demonstration of its strength when they gathered the full membership in the morning at the headquarters of the union, 761 Eighth Avenue. When later the company officials and the arbitrators arrived they were cheered by the men. Good feeling prevailed, and it was apparent that there would be an amicable settlement.

Manager Fox explained that the company had never been opposed to the union, but it did insist that the men who stood by the company should retain their places. He said these men would be urged to join the union so that harmony might prevail, and he was sure that they would. The question of wages was serious, he said, but he did not see any reason why a satisfactory scale could not be drawn up by the joint committee.

Mr. Cashal said after the meeting that the settlement was satisfactory, that the company officials had met the men more than half way and that he was sure the question of wages could be worked out without friction. "The men who refused to strike with us will be treated fairly, and admitted to the union upon the payment of the regular initiation fee," he said. "We will not floe them nor try and make things unpleasant. The more union men we have the better for the cause of unionism."

Colonel Reagan thanked the men and the company for their fairness and cool judgment at a time when a prolonged strike would have meant great hardship to the public.

As the men left their hall some one shouted: "Sheffield Farms next." Others took up the cry and most of the men were shouting it as they crowded down the narrow stairs to go back to work.

In this connection Simon Lowy, Secretary of Local, 585, which is the milk drivers branch of the Brotherhood, said the Borden's, Campbell, and Mutual-McDermott Companies are now unionized. The Sheffield Farms and a few smaller concerns have not yet signed.

WAR RELIEF IN NEAR EAST.

Red Cross Appropriates $900,000 for Use This Year.

The War Council of the American Red Cross, of which Henry P. Davison is Chairman, announced last night the appropriation of an additional $900,000 for relief work in the Near East through the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief.

The appropriation is to cover relief work for the remainder of the year, and makes a total of $1,800,000 which the Red Cross has appropriated for aid of the 2,000,000 people in Western Asia.

The Red Cross has made a monthly appropriation of $300,000 for the work in July, August, and September. The $900,000 now appropriated is for the remaining three months of the year, and is to permit of the more advantageous purchase of food for use during the Winter.

The American Committee is carrying on relief work not only in Asia Minor and parts of Armenia and Syria, in the Ottoman Empire, but also in a large section of Armenia, Russian Caucasus, Persia, Mesopotamia, and parts of Egypt, into which refugees have fled in large numbers.

CHANGES CAMP HOSPITAL.

War Department Promptly Remedies Defects at Spartanburg.

Special to The New York Times.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 21.—Major William H. Allen, U. S. A., medical corps, commanding the base hospital, said today that the War Department, apprised of unsatisfactory construction of the hospital, had ordered that all faults be corrected at once. The complaints were based on patients' statements about lack of heat and on an inspection made by several chaplains.

Major Allen said that the War Department, though burdened with the greatest task a department ever faced, yesterday wired the Constructing Quartermaster to install ceilings and to reinforce the building throughout. He received authority to go out in the open market and buy whatever he found necessary for the comfort of the men. Already Major Allen has purchased Spartanburg's entire supply of stoves, and today the hospital was cozy and the men were cheerful and satisfied.

"It is the attitude of the War Department and of the staff here that nothing be spared that might make the men more comfortable," said Major Allen. "We have orders to get whatever we need and we are going ahead getting what we can. Every patient that comes in gets the same treatment—the best we know how to give—whether he is a General or a private."

As an instance of the close attention that Washington had given the criticism of the hospital, Major Allen said that a special apparatus to heat water was being rushed by express from St. Louis. The machinery weighs nearly a ton, and while ordinarily it would be shipped by freight, the department decided to use the more expensive but quicker express.

Major Allen said that a prominent New York woman, who inclosed a clipping from THE NEW YORK TIMES, had sent Brig. Gen. Phillips a certified check for $1,000 to be used to make the ill soldiers comfortable. This together with a number of smaller gifts was returned because regulations forbid acceptance of such contributions.

The holiday and brisk sunny weather today caused thousands of the soldiers to start early on long tours of the surrounding country. Tonight when the soldiers began to get back to camp there were complaints about overcharging. The first week the soldiers were here the automobile charge was $1.50 an hour. It is now $3 even for jitneys.

James Landa, who was shot in a raid on a blind tiger three weeks ago by Lieutenant Mattson of the military police, died early this morning.

PLATTSBURG SALES GROW.

Camp's Bond Subscriptions Pass $750,000—Airman Takes Pictures.

Special to The New York Times.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The week-end holiday passed off quietly at the training camp with bright weather replacing rain and clouds. The airplane excited much interest by its flights. Many snapshots were taken from the aircraft by C. Arnold Slade, who acted as photographer. The machine also dropped the President's proclamation and other Liberty Loan literature on the town. The bond sales at the camp have passed the $750,000 mark.

Captain Marion G. Donk of the Ordnance Department has been ordered to active duty, reporting to the Chief Ordnance Officer at Washington. Tomorrow the infantry students go into the range work for their target course in rapid firing practice.

FIRE IN ARMY HOSPITAL.

Patients at Camp Devens Carried Out During Blaze in Empty Ward.

AYER, Mass., Oct. 21.—Patients in some of the wards of the base hospitals at Camp Devens were removed hurriedly early today when fire destroyed a one-story wooden building containing the receiving ward and one of the offices. The explosion of an oil stove started the fire. Two medical officers who were in the building were slightly burned.

There were no patients in the structure. As soon as the alarm was given Major W. L. Coulins of Portland, Me., in charge of the two surgical wards nearest the blaze, had nearly fifty of his patients carried out on mattresses as a measure of precaution. Many others of the 262 patients in the thirteen hospital buildings went to the verandas of their wards.

Hundreds of soldiers turned out to assist the cantonment fire department, but they found on their arrival that the firemen, under command of Lieutenant John W. McAree, formerly of the New York Fire Department, had the flames confined to the receiving building.

REACH SETTLEMENT IN TAXICAB STRIKE

Black and White Company Suspends Minor Officials on Complaint of Chauffeurs.

MEN OUT FOR 30 HOURS

Violence Marks Efforts of Strikers to Cripple Service—Several Men Beaten.

After several incidents of street violence and the loss of $8,900 in earnings to the Black and White Taxicab Company, during a thirty-hour suspension of service throughout the city, President W. Bundy Cole of the company settled the strike yesterday afternoon.

After listening for two hours to a somewhat riotous voicing of grievances in Bryant Hall, Sixth Avenue and Forty-first Street, about 200 representatives, both of the Black and White and the Town taxi drivers, Mr. Cole suspended five minor executives of the Black and White Company, pending an investigation of charges against them by the striking chauffeurs, which had been the basis of the strike. Throughout Saturday and yesterday fewer than fifty of the Black and White Company's 250 cars left the West Sixty-eighth Street garage. Several attacks were made by strikers on Saturday night on substitute drivers. One of the substitutes was beaten senseless with a club in front of the American Theatre, at Forty-first Street and Eighth Avenue, shortly before Saturday midnight. Another substitute was attacked at Broadway and Forty-fourth Street, and a third taxicab, in Broadway near Fiftieth Street, was held up by strikers and the man and woman who were inside were hustled out into the street.

The Black and White strikers persuaded the Town Taxicab Company, of which Mr. Cole is also President, to threaten to join in a sympathetic strike today if the men's grievances were not adjusted.

On Mr. Cole's agreement, yesterday afternoon, to suspend the five minor executives from all authority in the company, and also to permit the 400 chauffeurs to elect a new committee to represent them in their dealings with the company, the strikers willingly promised to return to work this morning.

Mr. Cole issued a statement last night to the effect that the trouble had been entirely adjusted, and that the company's full service would be resumed today.

HERE FOR ARTIFICIAL LIMBS.

Demand in France So Great Switzerland Cannot Meet It.

Among the passengers who arrived yesterday at an Atlantic port from Spain, on a Spanish liner, was Frederick Voss, a representative of the Association for Trade with America of the department for the manufacture of artificial limbs at Geneva, Switzerland. He said that the hospitals in France are full of maimed soldiers needing wooden legs and the Government was unable to cope with the demand.

"The material for making these artificial limbs," Mr. Voss continued, "can only be obtained in the United States, and I have come over to make arrangements for its exportation to Switzerland. The Swiss Government has established a factory at Briens, with facilities for turning out from 1,500 to 2,000 wooden legs a week. Just before leaving France I met General Maurier, who said that the hospitals were sadly in need of artificial limbs so that they could send maimed soldiers back to their homes and take other injured men into the hospitals in their places."

Stammatis Pezas, the new Greek Consul General at Chicago, arrived with his family. Prince Nureddin di Vlora of Albania and Mrs. Annie K. Thomas, formerly Mrs. Frank Gould, left the liner at Havana. The vessel had fifty-one cabin passengers and the Captain said that no submarine had been sighted on the voyage.

STEAMER DARVEL WRECKED.

German Vessel Seized by United States Runs Ashore in Far East.

TOKIO, Saturday, Oct. 20.—The former German steamer Darvel, which for some time has been in the control of the United States Navy, is a total wreck on Stresi Island. The crew of the vessel was saved.

The Darvel formerly belonged to the North German Lloyd Steamship Company. She was a vessel of 1,508 tons gross, and was built in 1905. Her home port was Bremen.

SMOKE-BOX DEVICE URGED.

Navy to Give or Sell Anti-Submarine Contrivance to Merchantmen.

The Navy Department is preparing to issue smoke boxes free of charge to all vessels carrying armed guards, and is also urging the owners of all unarmed merchant vessels to give their prompt and favorable consideration to the question of purchasing the smoke-producing apparatus, which is used as a protection against submarine attack.

The Bureau of Ordnance of the Navy Department is having manufactured by the du Pont Company two types of smoke boxes suitable for use by merchant vessels. The funnel aboard ship, which emits thick smoke for half an hour, costs $125, and the chemical compound for recharging the box attached to the funnel costs $1.75 a pound. The smoke boxes for throwing overboard when vessels are chased by enemy craft, and which cannot be recovered, cost $25 each. The Bureau of Ordnance has issued a circular dealing with the use of the smoke appliances.

All the British and French steamships in the Atlantic trade have been provided with the smoke boxes, which the Captains and officers assert are very good for use on slow steaming vessels, but will not do for steamships with a speed of fifteen knots or more, as they run away from the smoke cloud.

BRAZIL NOT TO SELL SHIPS.

Will Use German Vessels in Its Local Trade—To Pay No Indemnity.

RIO JANEIRO, Oct. 21.—A special Parliamentary committee has approved the decision of the Government not to dispose of the German ships recently seized by Brazil. These will be put into service between Brazilian ports. The committee also decided to recommend the suppression of the legislative provision which assured indemnity after the war to the owners or charterers of former German vessels.

The Brazilian Government, according to a recent dispatch, had under consideration the utilization of the seized German steamers for the organization of international steamship lines. It was said that this project depended solely on an understanding between Brazil and the Allies.

MORE OF U-BOAT MOVED.

Second Section Taken from River Barge to Central Park.

The middle section of the German mine-laying submarine U-C-5 was taken yesterday morning from its barge at the foot of 132d Street and Hudson River and set up in the Sheep Meadow in Central Park by the stern section, which was moved on Saturday.

Forty horses and ten drivers were used in moving the second section on a truck which is said to be the strongest in this country. A platoon of mounted police moved in front of the truck as it proceeded in Manhattan Street to 125th Street, then to Seventh Avenue, then to Central Park West, and down to Sixty-sixth Street, where it entered the park.

The Lenox Avenue subway trains were stopped for five minutes while the forty-five-ton load was hauled over the subway where it runs under Central Park West near 103d Street. Several thousand persons went to the park yesterday afternoon to see the two-thirds of the captured German undersea menace.

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In view of the exceptional world demand for sugar there is no surplus, and barely enough to tide us over until the new crop comes in. The people of the New England and Atlantic Coast States should use sugar sparingly. No one should hoard or waste it.

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COLGATE AND DARTMOUTH LOOM HIGH AS FOOTBALL SEASON GETS UNDER WAY

COLGATE MACHINE AGAIN AFTER TITLE

Hamilton Team Gives Further Proof of Being Leading Football Eleven.

DARTMOUTH GAINS FAME

Light Hanover Eleven Brings Hopes by Defeat of Strong West Virginia Outfit.

The fast Colgate eleven which carried off the Eastern gridiron championship last season is again pointed toward that honor. While it is early yet to come to conclusions of sound value, Hamilton College has shown the same sort of talent that won it a place at the top a year ago. Saturday, the Colgate team swamped Cornell 20 to 0 and, while Cornell must not be judged by the high standards of former years, Colgate's victory was nevertheless impressive.

Last year Coach Bankart had a backfield at Colgate which was drilled almost as perfectly as four men can be drilled. These were Gillo, Spencer, Hubbell, and Anderson. Colgate, this year, has this same seasoned backfield, with the exception of quarter back Anderson, whose place is being capably filled by McBride. McBride has shown the same excellent qualities as Anderson and he ran his team Saturday with surprising success for a new player.

Colgate's coach this year is Harry McDeavitt, an old Dartmouth player, who seems to be carrying out the plans which were so successfully laid by Bankart. Wooster is being groomed to take West's place as a kicker, and the line includes Woodman, who was substitute for West last season; Carroll, last year's substitute centre, and Castalanos, who was one of the best ends in the game last season. These are some of the reasons that Colgate is likely to repeat last year's success.

Cornell's showing thus far has been a source of disappointment, and it is doubtful if Coach Sharpe will be able to overcome the handicap of the loss of so many of last year's talent through enlistments. It is, however, to Cornell's credit that those who are left in college have decided to continue football in spite of the fact that the available material is below normal.

Dartmouth in the Limelight.

Dartmouth's football future suddenly becomes brighter as the result of the impressive victory over West Virginia, touted as one of the most dangerous elevens in the South. Dartmouth won 6 to 2 through fast, well-executed, old-fashioned football tactics. Its light back field had so much ahead that the heavy line of the mountaineers was ripped up badly. This light, undeveloped line of Dartmouth's has been the greatest problem that Coach Spears has had to solve, and the manner in which it came through against the strong West Virginians is a source of much gratification to the followers of the Hanover eleven. It is no slight task to stop a backfield which is made up of such players as Hodgkins and Harris, and Saturday's triumph was quite a feather in Dartmouth's cap.

The overwhelming football machine Glenn Warner has built up at Pittsburgh continued on its crushing way by beating Syracuse 28 to 0. Warner has again demonstrated that he is one of the best of offensive coaches, and there will probably be no eleven this season which will be able to boast of the scoring ability of Pittsburgh. McLaren of Pittsburgh has a veteran full back who ranks with the best, and judging from Pittburgh's work up to the present time, there seems to be little difference between this year's team and the powerful eleven Warner has coached during the last two years.

The ambitious Boston College eleven, coached by Charley Brickley, got a rude shock in Providence when it was defeated 7 to 2 in one of the most gruelling clashes of the season. Brown showed unexpected strength in offstanding the fierce rushes of the Boston players. The only unfortunate feature of the contest was that Brown came through on top at the loss of two promising backfield players. Shaw and Albright. The contest was a bruising ordeal for Brown, coming as it did only one week before the Colgate-Brown battle, which is to be played Providence on Saturday. The game comes at such an early date because of the rearrangement of many football schedules necessitated by the withdrawal of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton.

Service Teams Not Extended.

The Army and Navy both had easy opponents on Saturday. At Annapolis the coaching of Gilmour Doble is evidently making itself felt, for, although the Carlisle Indians have a weak eleven this season, the Midshipmen buried them under a 61 to 0 score. As it becomes more evident each week that West Point and Annapolis are both going to have high-class elevens, the cancelation of the annual meeting between these teams is a matter of general regret. Up at the Army reservation Tufts was soundly beaten by Oliphant and his teammates. After Oliphant had scored 20 points he retired, and the Army sent in a bunch of second string players, who also showed that they can play considerable football.

Rutgers and Lafayette resumed football relations again on Saturday, and the New Brunswick eleven won an easy victory, 33 to 0. The defeat by Syracuse was the kind of a surprise which evidently did Coach Sanford's charges a great deal of good, for there was a noticeable improvement in their play, and their showing marks them as a dangerous opponent for Fordham at the end of the week.

Fordham has an eleven which will bear watching this year. It is big, strong and fast and the errors which came out in Saturday's victory over Holy Cross are mistakes which Coach McCaffery can rectify as the season goes along. In Frisch, the Maroon has a player of great promise and as it was his first taste of Varsity football, it would seem that he has a great gridiron future ahead of him, unless all signs go astray.

Columbia's first real football test of the year against Union more than satisfied the followers of the Blue and White. Metcalf has instilled a lot of speed into his players and their execution of plays is better than last year at this period. Miller, Columbia's versatile quarter back, with his clever toe, promises to have a good season.

Wideawake officials caught Columbia violating one of the game's newest rules on Saturday and slapped on a 15-yard penalty without delay. The violation happened when Healy came from the sidelines and gave instructions to Miller. The new rules prohibit a substitute speaking with any of the players until after the first play following his entrance to the game. This rule was welcomed by all friends of the game as the practice of carrying messages from the sidelines has been widely abused during the last few seasons.

One of the big football surprises of the week was the downfall of Ohio State before Carnegie Tech, at Pittsburgh. Ohio won the championship of the West last year, and as Chick Harley is again at large, it was believed that the Ohioans would have an excellent chance of again taking the honors. The defeat on Saturday, however, would indicate that Ohio is not up to last year's standard. Indiana was put out of the Conference race by Minnesota, while Michigan showed symptoms of excellent football in downing the Michigan Aggies by a 27-to-0 score.

The forward pass has again become the most frequently used scoring play this season. As much as some of the older coaches object to its use, this weapon of attack has become essential to a successful eleven. It is still a dangerous play, but a pretty one to watch when skillfully played. When it fails it is much like the squeeze play in baseball—a flat disappointment. The play, however, has developed an alertness among players and an uncanny perception at following the ball which makes football far more interesting than ever before.

PLAN FOOTBALL FOR TROOPS

N. Y. A. C. Hopes to Bring Together Teams of Forts in League.

In line with its policy at the start of the war in discarding championship athletic events in favor of military competitions for soldiers, the officials of the New York Athletic Club yesterday announced the formation of a football league for teams representing the various nearby forts. The league was organized at a meeting held Thursday when representatives of the Aviation Camp at Mineola and Forts Schuyler and Totten were present. Invitations to attend the meeting had been sent to the athletic officers in charge of the various posts about the city. Matt Halpin, Chairman of the Athletic Committee of the New York A. C., announced that favorable replies also had been received from Forts Wadsworth, Jay and Slocum.

The league was organized with six teams from different forts, and a tentative schedule adopted, with play commencing on Oct. 27 and continuing until about Dec. 1. Each team will play five games, two on home grounds, two on visiting grounds and one on Travers Island. A definite schedule will be arranged by officials of the New York A. C., who will also look after all other arrangements, furnish officials and give prizes for the winning teams. Matt Halpin has delegated Tom Thorp, former Columbia football star, chief of the officials in charge of these arrangements.

Along these same lines the officials of Springfield, Mass., organization are endeavoring to organize a similar league among the various regiments stationed at Camp Upton, Yaphank, L. I., with a view to having the winner there play the winning team of the league.

FORDHAM AIMS AT RUTGERS.

Maroon Team Begins Work for Hardest Game.

The Fordham football team has a hard week's work in prospect for the big clash with the Rutgers eleven on Fordham Field. As Holy Cross proved weaker than was expected, and consequently did not overexert the Maroon, the Rutgers game will put the Bronxmen to a real test. Rutgers and Georgetown, which will be encountered on Election Day, now loom up as the stiffest contests on the hard Maroon schedule.

Fordham realizes that Foster Sanford has built up a powerful eleven at New Brunswick, one whose possibilities have not been fully tried because of the injuries to several Rutgers stars. After the easy game with Lafayette, Coach Sanford should have his players in good shape for the Fordham game.

Frank Frisch and several other Maroon stars were battered in the Holy Cross game. Coach McCaffery may follow out his policy of last week and give the sturdy little back a few days layoff to rest his battered legs. The Maroon coach will develope a plunging attack to work in conjunction with the Maroon open game.

FOUR IN WESTERN RACE.

Quartet of Elevens Still After Football Laurels.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Four teams—Ohio State, Illinois, Minnesota and Chicago—remain in the race tonight for the "Big Ten" football championship as a result of games played Saturday. The defeat of Wisconsin, Purdue and Indiana eliminate them. Neither Michigan nor Iowa is considered in the running. Michigan has only one conference game this season, and Iowa, which has suffered two upsets, has not displayed conference calibre.

Favorites came through Saturday's games on the winning end. Illinois outplayed Wisconsin, winning 7 to 0. The contest uncovered a new star in Leonard Charpier, a 208-pound Chicagoan, who scored Illinois' only touchdown.

Higgins, the big Chicago full back, playing his first year in the line, was an important factor in Chicago's 27 to 0 triumph over Purdue. After playing Minnesota almost on even terms for two periods, Indiana gave way before a series of baffling plays and lost 33 to 9.

Notre Dame gave the powerful Nebraska eleven one of the closest contests in years, and succeeded in holding the Cornhuskers to a single touchdown. Michigan had only a mild fight with the Michigan Aggies, who played a defensive game, losing 27 to 0.

Boxing Bouts Tonight.

Yorkville S. C.—Leo Johnson vs. Bobby Lyons. Ten rounds.

Vanderbilt A. C., Brooklyn—George Ashe vs. Gabe Gulart. Ten rounds.

Military A. C., Brooklyn—Frankie Notter vs. Young Battling Nelson; Abe Freidman vs. Joe Leonard. Both ten-round bouts.

YALE MAKES PLANS FOR MINOR SPORTS

'Varsity Swimming, Wrestling, and Tennis Teams Already in the Making.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 21.—With Yale once more actively engaged in athletics, for the first time since war was declared, those in charge of the different sports are beginning to make plans for a busy Winter. While arrangements for all the minor sports are uncertain as yet, it is probable that each sport will continue in one form or another. Several of the sports will be organized into interclass or inter-battery contests, while swimming, wrestling, and tennis will be represented with 'Varsity teams. Any hockey competitions will be out of the question this year because of the condition of the Arena.

In all pobability the freshmen will be represented by a team in every minor sport. These teams will schedule games with outside opponents, and the season will be carried on just as has been the case in the past. The Yale News made canvass of the representatives of the different sports and ascertained the following facts:

"The possibility of a hockey team this year is out of the question. This is largely due to the fact that no arrangement can be made with the Arena. It is planned to organize class teams, which will play a scheduled interclass series. If possible, a freshman team will be organized to compete with outside opponents. All the practicing for the teams will be done on Lake Whitney. The latter, however, due to the weather, is an uncertainty; therefore, no definite plans can be made.

"As there is only one member of last year's championship basket ball team in college little has been done about organizing this sport. There is enough material to make up a good team if such a course seems advisable. In any case, class teams will be organized and a series of games played.

"It is planned to form a freshman basket ball team which will play a schedule of games with outside teams. Dr. Anderson places much value on basket ball as an aid in building men up physically.

"Prospects for university swimming and water polo teams are good. Four of last year's championship swimming team and all of last year's freshman team have returned. With the exception of Captain Dexter, who is with the American Ambulance Corps in France, most of last year's water polo team are available. Plans are also being made for interclass meets. The freshmen will have several men who competed in the Yale interscholastics last year.

"Last year both the university and freshman wrestling teams won the championship. Coach Winters is very anxious to repeat this performance. A freshman meet will be held shortly in order that Coach Winters may get a line on the men. The university will in all probability be represented by a team in this sport, and the chances for a championship are very good.

"Nothing definite toward organizing a university tennis team will be done until next Spring. Manager Hammett is already at work on next Spring's schedule, and there seems no doubt that the university will be represented in this sport. The tournaments now in progress are mainly to get a line on the men, especially the freshmen, so that the selection of the university teams next Spring may be made without delay."

MANY MOTOR CRAFT TAKEN.

More Than 1,200 in Government Service from Third District.

Mystery II. is the name of a new patrol boat owned by Mr. Ralph Pulitzer, who after trying out the boat recently has turned her over to the Navy Department. As soon as guns have been mounted on Mystery II. she will go out on patrol duty. Last year the United States Navy had two patrol boats built which were designed to show yachtsmen the proper type for a patrol boat. The largest of these was sixty-six feet in length and was designed to make thirty miles an hour. Mr. Pulitzer at once decided to accept that model, but he had his boat made five feet longer, and this additional length enables him to have two extra staterooms.

The Government has already taken over 1,200 boats in the Third Naval District alone. This district extends from New London, Conn., to Barnegat, N. J. Nearly all of these boats are cruisers and range in size from the 50-foot power yachts to 300-foot steamers. Some of these have been purchased, while others have been chartered and many owners have presented their boats to the Government for use during the war only.

The motorboat has really come into its own. The gasoline engine, which was practically unknown at the time of the Spanish war, nineteen years ago, has been tried and found able and serviceable, and when this war is over yachting is expected to receive such a boom that the builders of boats, engines, and accessories will be hard pressed to supply the demands. Many designers and builders are now planning for this. Designs and specifications have been drawn for large vessels which will be laid down as soon as the rush in the shipyards subsides and the fleet of American built yachts will, in the next few years, be larger than ever before.

While a large number of the larger craft have been taken for war purposes, the owners of small yachts, power and sail, are very busy and races in an informal way are being conducted by clubs each week. The men who take part in these races are qualified for positions as navigators and sailors in future patrol squadrons, should this war last any length of time.

HELPS CITY COLLEGE TEAMS

Adolph Lewisohn Provides Money for New Lockers.

A gift of $12,000 by Adolph Lewisohn, donor of the City College Stadium, will provide for excavations in the structure making space for lockers and showers to the extent of more than double the present facilities.

Lockers and other equipment are provided under the colonades at either end of the coliseum, but the entire semi-circle of seats is filled under with ground leveled from the field at the time when it was first arranged.

LOCAL SOCCER TEAM LOSES.

Bethlehem Champions Beat New York by 4 Goals to 1.

The famous Bethlehem soccer team visited New York yesterday for the first time this season and beat the New York club by 4 to 1 in a national league game at Lenox Oval before 3,000 spectators. New York opened the scoring inside a minute through Koelsch, which is the first goal scored against the steelworkers this season. The superior speed of the Bethlehem boys soon made itself felt, for, after Fleming had equalized directly afterward with a brilliant shot, Forrest increased the lead five minutes later.

At half time the score was Bethlehem, 2; New York, 1. After the interval Bethlehem ran the home team off its feet, and further goals by Easton and Kirkpatrick enabled them to win easily.

The lineup:

Bethlehem, (4.)	Position.	New York, (1.)
Duncan	G.	Ferro
Fletcher	R. B.	Robertson
Ferguson	L. B.	McWilliams
Murray	R. H.	Adamson
Campbell	C. H.	McElroy
Kirkpatrick	L. H.	Hager
McKelvey	O. R.	O'Halloran
Pepper	I. R.	Hunziker
Easton	C.	Koelsch
Forrest	L. L.	Petrie
Fleming	O. L.	Puxty

Referee—J. Cunningham. Linesmen—W. Burrows, New York, and R. Morrison, Bethlehem. Goals—Bethlehem, Fleming, Forrest, Easton, and Kirkpatrick; New York, Koelsch. Time of halves—45 minutes each.

SOCCER LEADERS TRIUMPH.

Clan MacDuff Team Continues Unbeaten Against Wanderers.

Although minus their regular goalkeeper, Clan MacDuff's soccer players kept up their unbeaten record in the New York State League yesterday by defeating the Overseas Wanderers by 4 goals to 1 at the C. C. N. Y. Stadium. Leahy of the Wanderers was the first to notch a goal, but thereafter Clan MacDuff kept the game well in hand. Connelly and Hollins scored in the first half and McLaughlin and Hollins in the second.

Meeting La Sultana soccer eleven at Astoria, the Morse Dry Dock team had its first taste of what the New Long Island Club can do and lost the New York State League game by the one-sided score of 7 goals to 0. La Sultanas finished the first half with a 4-0 lead, Dundas scoring all four.

Richard Moss, President La Sultana Football Club, has received a letter from Frank L. Glick, aide-de-camp to General Franklin Bell, in command at Camp Upton, thanking him for the offer to bring two of the Metropolitan League teams to the camp to play a championship game there and suggesting Nov. 11 as the date. A suitable ground will be ready for the teams.

While the Bethlehem Football Club won in New York, the Paterson club took place with the A. F. A. champions by winning in the National Football League series yesterday. The league results in New Jersey yesterday were the following: Scottish Americans, 3; West Hudsons, 1, at Clark's Field, Paterson, 4; Babcock & Wilcox, 1, at Olympic Park, Paterson. Disston A. A., 4; Jersey A. C., 0, at West Side Park, Jersey City.

BRITISH SOCCER RESULTS.

English Leagues.

LANCASHIRE SECTION.

Burnley	2	Burslem Port Vale	2
Bury	2	Manchester City	0
Liverpool	2	Preston North End	2
Manchester United	0	Everton	0
Oldham Athletic	2	Blackburn Rovers	0
Southport Central	6	Bolton Wanderers	0
Stockport County	2	Rochdale	0
Stoke	3	Blackpool	1

MIDLAND SECTION.

Birmingham	2	Bradford	0
Bradford City	4	Leicester Fosse	1
Grimsby Town	2	Sheffield United	1
Lincoln City	0	Leeds City	2
Notts County	4	Barnsley	2
Rotherham County	1	Notts Forest	3
Sheffield Wednesday	4	Hull City	0

LONDON COMBINATION.

Millwall	2	Crystal Palace	1
Tottenham Hotspur	2	Clapton Orient	1
Chelsea	1	Queens Pk. Rangers	2
Brentford	1	Fulham	3
Arsenal	2	West Ham United	2

Scottish League.

Airdrieonians	1	Morton	1
Clyde	2	Hibernians	5
Clydebank	1	Partick Thistle	2
Dumbarton	1	St. Mirren	0
Hamilton Ac.	1	Dumbarton	0
Hearts	2	Ayr United	0
Kilmarnock	3	Third Lanark	1
Queens Park	3	Motherwell	1
Rangers	1	Celtic	2

SKATING UNION TO MEET.

International Body to Convene at the St. Nicholas Rink.

The first meeting of the year of the International Skating Union will be held at St. Nicholas Rink next Saturday, Oct. 27, for the purpose of formulating plans for the coming year.

David H. Mayback, Vice President of the organization, recently returned from a transcontinental trip, during which he visited every city in the United States having an ice skating rink or a hockey club, and he has brought back a mass of valuable data. Allen I. Blanchard will travel all the way from Los Angeles to attend the meeting.

Last Spring, it will be remembered, the Amateur Athletic Union adopted a resolution to alter its articles of alliance with the I. S. U. to include the game of ice hockey, thus giving control of the popular Winter game to the A. A. U.

With the opening of St. Nicholas Rink the other day hockey interest in this city will be revived, and in spite of the loss of many of the players who have become familiar to hockey fans through the necessities of the war, it is expected that the younger elements will come to the front rapidly, and fill up the holes left vacant by their fellow-players who have responded to their country's call.

To Sell Liberty Bonds at Rink.

On Liberty Bond Day, Wednesday, Oct. 24, at the Brooklyn Ice Palace, the big skating rink at Atlantic and Bedford Avenues, Brooklyn, the second Liberty bonds will be sold. Each purchaser will be entitled to a free admission to the rink. The bonds will be sold by the Brooklyn Trust Company, which will erect a special booth in the lobby of the rink.

FAST TIME MADE BY LIZZIE MARCH

J. H. Lawrence's Mare Paces Half-Mile on Speedway in One Minute.

J. H. Lawrence's chestnut mare Lizzie March made her first appearance this Fall in competition at the fifth matinée of the Fall meeting of the Road Drivers' Association on the Harlem Speedway yesterday and made the best performance in the 1:05 pace. The Lawrence entry won this event in a manner which left no room for doubt as to her superiority over E. A. Meckel's brown mare Ccuntess Kohl and M. F. Kearn's Lustrus McKinney, a bay gelding. These were the only horses entered against the fast-stepping Lawrence mare.

Coming down the half-mile stretch in the first brush of the race, the Lawrence horse, a circuit campaigner with plenty of experience, easily outclassed her rivals and was clocked in one minute flat. This is the fastest time for a pacing event that has been made on the uptown speedway since the opening of the present meeting, and is only a slight margin slower than the record for the stretch. As Lawrence drove his horse past the judges' stand at the finish Lizzie March had an advantage of about two and one-half lengths on Lustrus McKinney. In the second heat Lizzie March was again victor, leading Countess Kohl to the line by about four lengths. The time for this heat was 1:01¼.

In the 1:03 pacing race, Jesse Smith, driving J. A. Murphy's Mittie Bedworth, looked upon by many as the Speedway's pacing champion of the season, defeated the former Speedway queen, Clover Patch, in straight heats. The veteran driver, Dave McClary, held the reins on Clover Patch, and in the first heat trailed Mittie Bedworth by about half a length. In the second heat Smith sent Mittie Bedworth past the judges' stand with an advantage of about four lengths. J. H. Lawrence's bay gelding, J. W. D., a new arrival to the Speedway, of formidable ability, was an expected starter in this event, but was scratched.

Another blue ribbon was scored for Murphy's stable in the 1:05 trotting event when Jesse Smith guided Marion Toddington to victory in straight heats over J. J. Morris's roan mare, Nell McLintock.

The only event on the card to go three heats was the 1:11 trot. In this E. Carpenter's bay mare, Bessie Baron, pulled through with a victory over W. Hammdorf's brown gelding, Hindenburg, the Carpenter horse taking the honors in the second and third heats.

The summaries:

1:07 CLASS—TROTTING.

Bon Todd, br. m., (Dr. C. P. Martin)	1	1		
Courier Boy, b. g., (J. P. Kennedy)	2	2		
Catherine P., b. m., (E. Carpenter)	3	3		
Kinetic, r. m., (W. J. O'Neil)	4	4		

Time—1:05; 1:05; 1:06.

COLT CLASS—TROTTING.

Miss Wiggins, b. m., (J. F. O'Shea)	1	1		
Josephine B., br. m., (M. I. Aronson)	2	2		

Time—1:28; 1:27.

1:05 CLASS—TROTTING.

Marion Toddington, ch. m., (J. Smith)	1	1		
Nell McLintock, r. m., (J. J. Morris)	2	2		

Time—1:03; 1:04½.

1:05 CLASS—PACING.

Lizzie March, ch. m., (J. H. Lawrence)	1	1		
Lustrus McKinney, b. g., (M. F. Kearns)	2	3		
Countess Kohl, br. m., (E. A. Meckel)	3	2		

Time—1:00; 1:01½.

1:09 CLASS—PACING.

Baron A., b. s., (C. C. Cramer)	1	1		
Hal Direct, ch. g., (M. I. Aronson)	2	2		
Automatam, br. g., (W. J. O'Neil)	3	3		

Time—1:02½; 1:05.

1:13 CLASS—TROTTING.

Libby Medium, b. m., (J. F. Dinan)	1	1		
Fox Dean, br. g., (A. T. Meckel)	2	2		
Princess May, b. m., (J. Callahan)	3	3		

Time—1:14; 1:13.

1:03 CLASS—PACING.

Mittie Bedworth, ch. m., (J. Smith)	1	1		
Clover Patch, br. m., (Dave McClary)	2	2		

Time—1:01; 1:03.

1:11 CLASS—TROTTING.

Bessie Baron, b. m., (E. Carpenter)	1	1	1	
Hindenburg, br. g., (W. Hammdorf)	1	2	2	

Time—1:12; 1:10; 1:11.

1:13 CLASS—PACING.

Oakland Boy, br., ch. g., (P. Conroy)	1	1		
Exultant, br. g., (J. Gilmore)	2	2		

Time—1:15; 1:15.

FLUSHING TITLE TO BOYD.

Oates Defeated 2 and 1 in Thirty-six-Hole Match.

R. H. Boyd won the annual championship of the Flushing Country Club yesterday when he defeated E. F. Oates in the final at thirty-six holes by 2 and 1. Boyd led at the end of the morning round by two holes, and maintained his lead in the afternoon round. At the twenty-seventh hole Boyd was 3 up. This was reduced to 1 at the thirty-four hole. Boyd and Oates were in the rough on the thirty-fifth, and the former required one more than par, while Oates needed two more.

C. B. Martin won a driving competition, and Eugene Wright was the victor in a putting and approaching contest. E. F. Oates, finishing 2 down, won a competition against par.

JOHNSON READY FOR WAR.

American League Head Leaves to Offer Services to Country.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—President B. B. Johnson of the American League left tonight for Washington, where tomorrow he will formally offer his services to the Government in connection with the war. The American League Executive hopes to be accepted for duty, either in this country or France. He proposes to serve without compensation.

McGinley Victor Twice.

With two victories to his credit in a program of ten events, William McGinley of the Macomb's Park Playground yesterday accounted for the individual laurels of the intersettlement athletic meet held under the auspices of the Myrock A. C. of the Hudson Guild at Chelsea Park. McGinley won the 70-yard dash for boys of more than 120 pounds, when he broke the tape in 0:08 2-5. In the 100-yard event McGinley was first in a worthy field in 0:12.

KATZ IN VAN OF HARRIERS.

Completes Four-Mile Run of Pennant A. C. in 19:09.

Julius Katz of the Pennant A. C. yesterday led a representative field of harriers in the club's weekly road race, held over a course of about four miles. His time for the journey was 19:09. S. Freirich, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., was second, in 19:30. M. Mosher, another Pennant runner, finished third in 19:40.

Others who finished were A. Frischman, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., 19:50; H. Hartman, unattached, 19:54; M. Russo, St. Anselm's A. C., 20:03; L. Zimmerman, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., 20:29; M. Arnstein, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., 20:32; J. Feinberg, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., 20:40; M. J. Katz, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A., 20:45; J. Hotz, Pennant A. C., 20:51.

THEGAL LEADS WALKERS.

Liberal Handicap Aids Him in Defeating Labowitz.

Starting with the limit handicap allowance of eight minutes, O. Thegal, yesterday won the first outdoor walk of the season for the members of the Pastime A. C., over the club's Elk's course of four and one-half miles in the Bronx. Thegal covered the distance in 43:30. J. Labowitz, who started from scratch, finished in second position, about fifty yards back of Thegal. Labowitz judged his pace well throughout the race, but the liberal handicap of his rival deprived him of victory.

Al Vollmecke, the club's champion walker, starting three minutes behind the scratch man, failed to finish better than sixth, in which position he was clocked in 35:42.

The order of finish follows: O. Thegal, (8:00,) 43:10; J. Labowitz, (scratch,) 35:28; B. Litchenstein, (3:15,) 39:51; A. Arnold, (4:45,) 41:35; W. Allen, (1:00,) 39:02; Al Vollmecke, (penalized 3 minutes,) 35:42; A. Abbihl, (6:00,) 45:22; B. Allen, (6:00,) 45:30; D. Sotteraman, (3:00,) 42:32.

NILES TO SUCCEED CLARK.

Expected to Head Registration Committee of Local A. A. U.

It developed last night that Fred W. Niles of the Morningside A. C., who has been prominently identified with local A. A. U. track and field sport for many years, would undoubtedly be elected to the office of Chairman of the Registration Committee of the local body of the A. A. U., to succeed James E. Clark, who has gone to Camp Upton, Yaphank, in the capacity of athletic instructor. Mr. Niles is one of the oldest members of the newly elected committee, and his selection to fill the vacancy left by Mr. Clark's departure is favored by Frederick W. Rubien, President of the Metropolitan Association.

Another vacancy on the committee has been caused by the departure of John J. McInerney of St. Anselm's A. C. for Florida on a business trip. E. Wetmore Kinsley of the Hollywood Inn A. A. will probably be chosen to fill Mr. McInerney's place. In the event that Mr. Kinsley declines it is likely that Benjamin Levy of the Glencoe A. C. will succeed to the vacancy. A meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow night to select a new member and to install Niles as Chairman of the committee.

SPEED ONCE ORDINARY NOW

Former Harness Record Done Recently in Time Trial.

No better evidence of the wonderful advance that has been made in harness racing is needed than the citation of the following incident of the recent Grand Circuit meeting at Cleveland. One afternoon a two-year-old daughter of Dillsworthy, the trotting filly Nella Dillon, was brought out on the track for a trial against the watch and made the circuit of the track in 2:06¾. As it was not a new record for two-year-olds, the performance was not even noted in telegraphic accounts of the day's races.

Yet there were a number of men at the track who could remember the day when Maud S., over the same track, made world sporting history by trotting a mile in exactly the same time—a world's record for trotting horses—and a place for the record of the performance was found on the front page of practically every newspaper in America. Maud S. was 11 years old at the time, and fully developed, while Nella Dillon is but a trotter in swaddling clothes, so to say.

TEA WINS CUP BY SHEER STRENGTH

Glencoe A. C. Athlete Leads Big Field of Harriers in Five-Mile Harlem Race.

With the limit handicap allowance of 4 minutes 30 seconds, Michael J. Tea of the Glencoe A. C. yesterday crossed the finish line a winner of the Harlem Athletic League's road race, held over the Glencoe A. C.'s course of about five miles. His time was 35:54. A field of forty-two harriers started in the event, the largest that has entered any of the early season road races. From start to finish the event furnished keen competition.

Tea got away to a good start, with a number of other harriers, from the 4:30 mark, and at the first half mile was leading. He held the position from then until the end of the race, although at times he was forced to summon all his speed to maintain the advantage. At the finish Tea had an advantage of about 100 yards on his nearest rival. E. Weiman, Morningside A. C., who started from the one-minute mark, was second.

The back-mark athletes finished among the leaders in close formation. In addition to Weiman, they were L. Metzer, who started from scratch, and I. Lehman, who got away from the 30-second mark. Both are members of the Morningside A. C., and finished in the order named. Metzer, finishing third in 32:17, won the fast-time prize.

The team trophy went to the Morningside A. C., whose runners finished in second, third, fourth, sixth, and eighth positions for a total of 23 points. The order of finish of the first fifteen follows:

M. J. Tea, Glencoe A. C., (4:30,) 35:54; E. Weiman, Morningside A. C., (1:00,) 32:44; L. Metzer, Morningside A. C., (scratch,) 33:17; I. Lehman, Morningside A. C., (0:30,) 32:49; J. Stalb, Glencoe A. C., (4:30,) 37:20; S. Kiely, Morningside A. C., (1:45,) 34:49; M. Grinine, Harbrook A. C., (3:30,) 36:16; A. Fay, Macomb's A. C., (4:00,) (7:19) E. Lehman, Morningside A. C., (0:30,) 34:11; J. Sherman, Morningside A. C., (2:45,) 36:44; J. Daly, Macomb's A. C., (1:45,) 35:00; J. Meyer, Morningside A. C., (2:45,) 37:07; D. Mills, Macomb's A. C., (4:30,) 39:05; F. Cantrall, Morningside A. C., (3:00,) 37:30; B. Goldberg, Morningside A. C., (4:30,) 40:25.

Team score: Morningside A. C., 2 3 4 6 8—23; Glencoe A. C., 1 5 9 10 13—38; Harbrook A. C., 7 11 12 14 15—59.

PLANT RACES TO VICTORY.

Leads Road Runners in Brooklyn Affair by 6ix Seconds.

Jim Plant, the Long Island Athletic Club distance runner, yesterday scored an impressive victory in the four and one-half mile road race of the Seattle A. C. of Brooklyn, held over the club's Highland Park course. He led James McNeil of the Presentation Club to the finish line by a margin of six seconds. Plant's time was 23:15. The order of finish follows:

James Plant, Long Island A. C., 23:15; James McNeil, Presentation Club, 23:21; W. Lawson, Swedish-American A. C., 24:10; A. Wuberg, Swedish-American A. C., 24:15; H. Speis, Morningside A. C., 24:16; S. Bendel, New Utrecht H. S., 26:00; M. Feinfeld, Kings County A. A., 26:32; B. Moore, Brooklyn A. A., 27:00; J. Ober, Brooklyn A. A., 28:30; H. Rubien, unattached, 30:00.

SWIMMING TEAM FOR TIGERS

Princeton Again May Take Part in Aquatic Sports.

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 21.—If any way can be devised, Princeton will enter the Intercollegiate Swimming League again this year. According to the ruling of the Board of Athletic Control, the Tigers cannot enter any sport unless the manager can show that the sport will be self-supporting. In an effort to make aquatics meet expenses the Tiger swimmers have issued season tickets costing $2, which will admit holders to all meets in Brokaw Pool during the Winter.

The annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Swimming Association will be held Oct. 28 at the New York Athletic Club, and the Tigers may report then whether they will be able to enter the league.

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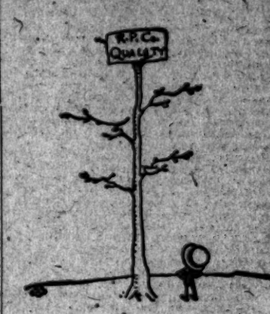

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The recent letters appearing in THE TIMES and other newspapers, complaining of the slow transmission of letters and packages from this country to the American soldiers serving in France, have called forth a statement by Postmaster General Burleson explaining how such mail is forwarded and handled by the Post Office Department. Heretofore all mail addressed to the American expeditionary forces in Europe has been assembled in New York City before being shipped abroad. By order of the Postmaster General a Western military terminal for the assembling of all soldier mail collected west of the Mississippi River has been established at Chicago. This will greatly facilitate the dispatching of mail, that collected west of the Mississippi going to Chicago and that collected in the East going to New York.

The statement of the Post Office Department says that everything possible is being done to facilitate the prompt handling of mail between this country and the American expeditionary forces in France, and that the work has been accomplished with remarkable speed. When the American forces arrived in France and were about to leave for the camp which had been provided for them, General Pershing asked the United States Postal Agent at Paris how soon postal facilities could be provided for the troops. "I can leave by the first train after two hours," was the reply. "I mean," said the General, "how soon can you have a working force there?" "I shall take my force with me," answered the postal official.

Thus, two hours and twenty minutes after the first notice had been received, a complete force for operating the cantonment Post Office was on the way to the camp. Within a short time after their arrival they had found an empty building that could be used for a Post Office, and were at work equipping it with distribution cases made out of lumber from packing boxes. The next day, before the arrival of the American troops, the Post Office was ready to deliver mail, and a parcel post, money order, and registry service was in operation.

The Post Office Department sent a postal agent to France in advance of the expeditionary forces. With him went a committee and a postal force of officials and a selected group of Post Office workers chosen from among the best men in the various departments who volunteered for the French service. These men sailed for England on June 16, and after making a study of the English military postal organization, they went to France to study the French system. The first United States Post Office in Paris was opened on July 12. It occupied a single basement room, about twelve by sixteen feet, in which the advance mail for the American expeditionary forces had been accumulated. Soon after the entire building was turned over to the postal officials, and today the "first American Post Office in France" is operating in comfortable quarters and is thoroughly equipped.

Since then additional post offices have been established. There are now six branch postal agencies or divisional offices handling mail for the soldiers and selling stamps and money orders. New branches are opened as required, the forces to operate them being trained in advance. The postal service operates as a part of the military establishment, although entirely under the organization of the Post Office Department. The military post offices move forward with the troops, the postal employes being required to wear military uniforms.

The Post Office Department declares that there is no delay in the delivery of mail to Americans serving in France if it is properly addressed. All mail addressed to members of the expeditionary forces should give the division, the company, and the organization to which the addressee belongs, as "John Smith, Jr., Company X, —— Infantry, (giving the number of the infantry), American Expeditionary Forces." It should also bear the return address of the sender and the proper amount of postage, which is two cents an ounce for letters and 12 cents a pound for parcels up to 20 pounds. The rates for money orders are the same as domestic rates. There is no C. O. D., insurance, or registry service.

BINGHAM ON ACTIVE DUTY.

Now, in Charge of Government's Local Engineering Work.

Brig. Gen. Theodore A. Bingham, U. S. A., former Police Commissioner of New York, has returned to active military duty and will take charge of the Government engineering operations in the vicinity of New York, succeeding Colonel Frederick V. Abbot of the Corps of Engineers, who has been assigned to the work of organizing and training troops for the engineering branches of the army.

General Bingham was Police Commissioner from Jan. 1, 1906, to July 1, 1909, and in 1911 he served for a short time as Chief Engineer of the Department of Highways. From 1911 to 1915 he was consulting engineer for the Department of Bridges. He was graduated from West Point in 1879. During his active career in the army he served as Military Attaché to the embassy in Berlin and in Rome. He was retired from active service in 1904, following an accident at the Buffalo Exposition in which he lost a leg. He is now 59 years old.

SENATORS FAVOR SUFFRAGE.

Johnson and Poindexter Write to New York Organization.

Mrs. Norman deR. Whitehouse, Chairman of the New York State Woman Suffrage Party, yesterday sent out letters from Senators Hiram W. Johnson of California and Miles Poindexter of Washington in support of woman suffrage. Senator Johnson wrote that "woman suffrage has been a powerful aid to us in achieving the whole program of humanitarian legislation. Its power was conspicuous in the enactment of such legislation as the Women's Eight-Hour law, the Workmen's Compensation Act, and the final abolition of child labor."

Senator Poindexter said the woman's vote had established prohibition in Washington and that the women, by use of the power of referendum, had prevented the Legislature from passing six acts "attacking the control of the people over their public utilities, the initiative and referendum, the direct primary, and the freedom of the election itself."

ROAD RUNS HELP HARRIERS.

High School Boys Prepare for Cross-Country Test.

The majority of the public schools scattered throughout the five boroughs are conducting dual road runs with public and private high schools of New York, New Jersey and Long Island, in preparation for the annual high schools cross-country championship race, which will be run on Nov. 17 over the Jamaica High School course. These runs, in addition to serving as preliminaries to the championship chase, put the youthful harriers in good condition. The title run was originally scheduled to be held over the Prospect Park course, Brooklyn, but the High Schools Games Committee at its last meeting altered the event to the Jamaica High School.

Especially keen competition is expected to develop in the struggle for the William L. Jones Trophy, which is awarded to the team which scores the lowest number of points. The trophy was won last year by Flushing High School, which institution was fortunate in having the services of a schoolmate champion in the person of J. Crawford. The Flushing team will be without the services of its champion this year, for Crawford has been graduated and has entered Pennsylvania University.

LAUDER IN SERIOUS ROLE.

Tells Grim Facts of Trench Life to Hippodrome Audience.

Harry Lauder, not as a singer of funny songs, but as a speaker on the war and it's issues, appeared at the Hippodrome yesterday and described some of the grim facts of trench life to several thousand Y. M. C. A. workers who were holding a patriotic mass meeting there under the auspices of the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association. Mayor Mitchel was to appear, but sent a message that he could not do so owing to the condition of his voice.

When he arose to face his audience, clad as usual in Scotch kilts, Mr. Lauder immediately warned the assemblage that he had come on serious business.

"Before the war we led a cold, selfish, reckless life," Mr. Lauder said. "But the war has changed the face of the earth. We have learned a lesson from the widespread havoc and destruction in France and in Belgium. All this has happened to wake us up, to make us see, and to make us know that there are other peoples in this world besides ourselves.

"When your sons get to France, they will be face to face with stern realities. It won't be any picnic, nor any holiday. My boy never came back. And many of your boys will never come back. But this is God's call to duty, and if we fail to do our duty we are lost. And if we lose, you will get the blame for it. The world is on fire, and it is up to you to supply the machinery in men and money that will put that fire out. It's your duty to sacrifice, and sacrifice everything you have in order that this war might be pushed to victory. Reserves, reserves all the time in men and money, is what the Allies need.

"If you can buy your soldiers' lives with money you must do so. If you can buy liberty with lives you must do so. Bring the men home to their wives and their bairns. If the Germans stand solid behind everything that is bad, surely we can stand for everything that is good. Therefore it is up to you to do all you can. So buy your Liberty bonds, support your Government, become shareholders in the Bank of Humanity."

WISCONSIN PLAYERS' HERE.

Make Their First Appearance in the East at the Playhouse.

The Wisconsin Players, something of whose fame has preceded them to these parts in the last year or so, made their first appearance in the East at the Neighborhood Playhouse on Saturday night, presenting a rather unfortunately selected program of one-act plays. Under the leadership of Laura Sherry these players have done much to keep the little theatre idea alive in Milwaukee and environs, and it would be obviously unfair to judge them solely upon their first program. Their engagement at the Neighborhood will be for two weeks, and in that time they will present a number of new bills.

The most worthwhile piece on the first program is Zona Gale's "Neighbors," which, although hitherto unproduced in New York, has long been known hereabouts by reason of the printed page. "Neighbors" is a well-written and interesting analysis of the neighborly spirit, and is made thoroughly human by innumerable homely flashes. Its character drawing denotes keen observation, and even its story lacks all traces of dramatic exaggeration. It also has the advantage of the best acting of the evening, particularly good performances being given by Mrs. Sherry and Mary Wilder.

"On the Pier," a not uninteresting but quite undramatic dialogue, is the work of Mrs. Sherry, the director. "The Shadow," by Howard Mumford Jones, is a play eminently suited to the library, but entirely too delicate a piece to be acted. The fourth piece, "Carlos Among the Candles," is a baffling monologue by Wallace Stevens, intended neither for the stage nor the library.

The scenery, all of the impressionistic school, is for the most part attractive, and the acting is varying. Mrs. Sherry, who appeared in three of the plays, is an actress of considerable ability. Vincenzo Loucelli, on the other hand, was given considerably more to do than his talents warranted.

JANE COWL'S SCREEN DEBUT

"The Spreading Dawn" Is Rich in Pictorial Effects.

The beauteous Jane Cowl reached the movie screen at the Strand this week in a reasonably interesting and exceedingly well-filmed picture entitled "The Spreading Dawn," the work of Basil King. The film is Miss Cowl's first for the Goldwyn Company, and, with one slight exception, marks her début on the screen. As an actress she is at all times equal to the demands of a somewhat exacting double rôle, but it still seems more than probable that her best work will continue to be done on the regular stage. Her beauty is not enhanced by transference to the screen, and it is only occasionally that one catches a glimpse of the Jane Cowl known to fame.

The film, however, is rich in pictorial effects, and is altogether a creditable achievement. Henry Stephenson, who makes excellent screen material, is among those who appear in it, as do Orme Caldara and Edmund Lowe.

Films showing the training of our troops abroad are also an interesting part of the Strand program. At the Rialto the feature picture is "The Price Mark," with Dorothy Dalton in the principal rôle.

Film Shows War Preparations.

Motion pictures showing the more stirring phases of this country's war preparations have been made under the direction of the National Committee on Public Information, and will be distributed in New York by the Mayor's Committee on Public Defense. The films will not be shown in the regular picture houses, but are available for clubs, societies, churches, and the like. The management of the service is in the hands of G. Osgood Andrews, Hall of Records.

Carmen Valencia, Dancer, Arrives.

Carmen Tortola Valencia, a Spanish dancer from Barcelona, arrived yesterday to join the "1917 Girl" at the Century Theatre, which opens on Oct. 29. She said that her special dances were of the Goya period in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, and included the "Maja," "La Gitana," and "Mantilla." Some of the music was composed by the Spanish composer, Granados, who lost his life in the Summer of 1915 on the Channel steamer Sussex.

"Aida" in Mexico City Bull Ring.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 21.—Grand opera has taken the place of bulls in the large bull ring where the world's most famous matadors formerly appeared. This afternoon Polacco directed "Aida" before an audience of 5,000.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The present week will mark the end of the engagement of "The Barton Mystery," at the Comedy. The subscription season of the Washington Square Players will begin next week.

Maxine Elliott will make her first appearance on a New York stage in five years on Thursday night, when she will be seen at the Metropolitan Opera House in the Red Cross pageant, "The Drawing of the Sword."

The entire Hippodrome organization, comprising 1,174 persons, will march in the parade planned for Wednesday by the Liberty Loan Committee.

Sam Bernard has been engaged by Raymond Hitchcock for his new revue, to be produced at the Forty-fourth Street Theatre in December. The Dolly Sisters and the Three Doolys also have been signed.

The admission prices at the Park Theatre during the coming engagement of "The Land of Joy" at that house will be inclusive of the war tax.

Lady Duff-Gordon's two matinees at the Booth during the last week netted $2,500, which amount has been cabled to France.

The first American performance of "Chu Chin Chow" will be given at the Manhattan Opera House tonight. The curtain is announced to rise promptly at 8 o'clock.

"The Chalk," at the Fulton Theatre, will be withdrawn at the end of this week. The succeeding attraction is as yet undecided.

The week's campaign recently conducted in the Keith vaudeville houses in aid of the Army Girl's Transport Fund is announced to have brought in approximately $75,000.

YESTERDAY'S RECITALS.

Mischa Elman, Violinist, in Carnegie Hall—Evan Williams in Aeolian.

Another throng as large as Carnegie Hall could seat, with extra accommodation on the stage, went to hear Mischa Elman's first recital there yesterday afternoon. Mr. Elman was in his best form in respect of tone, purity of intonation, vigor of bowing, dazzling brilliancy of the left hand, finish of phrasing, and obvious sincerity of purpose. There was less forcing of the sentiment, less resort to sensational display to impress the unthinking among his listeners, than has sometimes been the case in Mr. Elman's performance.

He played a concerto by Vivaldi, retouched for modern uses by Tividar Nachez, with an accompaniment for pianoforte and organ; a substantial piece of eighteenth century music, which Mr. Elman played with breadth and not a little repose and with beautiful tone. In Lalo's "Symphonie Espagnole," three movements of it, he let himself go a little more, as was natural, and, to a considerable extent, proper. Handel's Sonata in E has before now been on his programs, and his playing of it admired. Other matters that he presented were a paraphrase by himself of the beautiful negro song, "Deep River," another of a tango by Albeniz, and Paganini's variations, "I Palpiti."

In Aeolian Hall Evan Williams was giving a recital of ter or songs and airs —an unusual one, for his program began with the American songs that naturally come at the end of programs, and ended with airs by Handel, Bach, and Beethoven that usually come at the beginning. Mr. Williams's voice shows signs of usage, and yesterday at times it was husky. But there is an abundance of power, and if the sensuous beauty is not what it once was, there is still the remarkable potency of expression, the deep feeling that makes so much of Mr. Williams's singing profoundly impressive, the intelligence, the skill in many ways. Mr. Williams's English enunciation is such as to make a book of the words needless. All his songs yesterday were in English. Three from Handel's "Acis and Galatea" he sang delightfully. One of the most remarkable of his achievements was the air, "Haste, Ye Shepherds," with its preceding recitative from Bach's "Christmas Oratorio." The air abounds in long phrases, of ten full florid "divisions," as the old English term is. Such passages are a stumbling block for most modern singers. They are generally considered hopeless; they are called "instrumental" in character and apologized for. They are not hopeless, however, for such powers as Mr. Williams's. He not only sang every one of them in a single breath, without signs of distress at the end, but he showed how such passages are not merely ornamental, but can be made musically expressive—an enhancement of the tender sentiment of the words.

WAR OFFICE "MOVIES" NOW.

British Government Weekly Service to be Furnished in This Country.

LONDON, Sept. 26, (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—To its thousand and one activities the British War Office has now added the ownership and management of a British film business. The entire control of the issue of what is known to the moving picture world as "The Topical Budget" has passed into the hands of the Army Council for the duration of the war.

By the unwritten law of Whitehall, the War Office cannot "go into business"; so the difficulty of owning and controlling this film business was obviated by the appointment of a committee of practical men, responsible to the War Office.

The idea of putting out official topical pictures twice a week, illustrating the various happenings on the fronts and incidents in this country connected with the war, came from France, where the Government decided some time ago regularly to issue films from the front as a means of keeping public interest steady in the progress of the war and stimulating public support for its prosecution.

Starting as a strictly national survey of war's doings, the War Office "Topical Budget" has blossomed quickly into an international concern by a system of interchange with the Allies, so that now it presents to the British public scenes from every front on which the Allies are fighting, except the Russian.

British pictures will be distributed through the War Office to France, Italy, Portugal, and all over the British Empire, as well as to the United States. Neutral countries, too, are to be organized for the distribution of these same pictures and in return certain pictures from neutral countries will be sent here for distribution through the British Isles.

The official film photographers will not confine their work to the front. They are also to take pictures of all national events, naval, military, or otherwise, happening anywhere in the British Isles.

WIFE SEES HUSBAND DROWN

Mrs. Kratenger Tried in Vain to Throw a Rope from Motor Boat.

When August Kratenger of 55 West Fifty-second Street, fell out of a motor boat in the Hudson River off West 117th Street yesterday and was drowned, his wife and a baby 9 months old, were left drifting down the river in the disabled boat. When off Ninety-sixth Street the woman's screams were heard by Edward Hallahan, Captain of a coal barge, who took the mother and baby to his cabin. Police of Harbor A dragged the river, but were unable to find Kratenger's body.

The family had taken a long ride up the Hudson and were returning to the Hudson River Yacht Club, at the foot of West Ninety-second Street, when the motor stopped. Kratenger was standing over the engine attempting to repair it when a heavy swell struck the boat and threw him into the water. He was unable to swim, and the boat slowly drifted away, while his wife tried frantically to throw a rope to him. Finally he went down.

"Aida" to Open Opera Season.

General Manager Gatti-Casazza yesterday announced "Aida" as the opera with which he will open the Metropolitan season on Monday evening, Nov. 12. The cast will be: Miss Claudia Muzio in the title rôle, Mme. Margarete Matzenauer as Amneris, Miss Marie Sundelius as the Priestess, Enrico Caruso as Radames, Pasquale Amato as Amonasro, Jose Mardones as Ramfis, (appearing for the first time with the company,) and Basil Ruysdael as the King. The ballet will be led by Miss Rosina Galli, and the new Italian conductor, Roberto Moranzoni, will direct the performance.

Music Notes.

Jascha Heifetz, violinist, at his debut in Carnegie Hall on Saturday, will play Vitali's "Chaconne" with organ, Wieniawsky's concerto in D minor, Schubert's "Ave Maria," a minuet by Mozart, Chopin's nocturne in D, arranged by Wilhelmj; "Chorus of Dervishes" and "Oriental March," Beethoven-Auer; Melodie, Tschaikowsky, and "Capriccio" No. 24, Paganini-Auer.

The Rialto Orchestra will play for school children next Saturday morning Beethoven's "Egmont" overture and "Romance," one movement from Mozart's symphony in G minor, two from Bizet's suite "L'Arlesienne"; Dvorak's "Carnival" overture, some work by an American composer, and the airs, "Gems of the Ocean," and "Star-Spangled Banner."

Josef Stransky will open the Philharmonic Society's seventy-sixth season and eleven hundred sixty-eighth concert on Thursday evening in Carnegie's Hall with "The Star-Spangled Banner." In observance of America's entry into the war.

Elizabeth Rothwell has postponed her recital announced for today at Aeolian Hall on account of a severe attack of illness.

NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES.

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EMPIRE Broadway & 40th St. Evenings at 8:15. MATS. WEDNESDAY & SAT. 2:20. JULIA SANDERSON, JOSEPH CAWTHORN in the new Musical Comedy RAMBLER ROSE. "A distinct hit." —Miss Dale. "Never failed to give fresh delight." —Times. "Succeeded gloriously."—Tribune. "Gales of laughter." —Journal. "The music and the fun kept pace with the ever-changing scenes." —Herald.

GEO. M. COHAN THEA., B'way, 43 St. Evs. 8:20. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:20. THE IRRESISTIBLE SCREAM. Here Comes the Bride

KNICKERBOCKER Theatre, B'way at 38th St. Evs. 8:25. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:25. GEORGE ARLISS 'HAMILTON' in his new play. "FAR FINER, NOBLER AND TRUER THAN 'DISRAELI.'"—Times.

GAIETY B'way & 46th St. Evs. 8:30. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:30. BOOTH TARKINGTON and JULIAN STREET'S GREAT COMEDY. The Country Cousin. With ALEXANDRA CARLISLE.

LIBERTY WEST 42D ST. Evenings 8:30. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:30. Laurette Taylor in J. Hartley Manners' Play "OUT THERE" 2D YEAR.

The Land of Joy

CRITERION B'way & 44 St. Evs. 8:20. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:30. First Time Tomorrow Eve. HENRY MILLER in Monckton Hoffe's Comedy "Anthony in Wonderland"

HUDSON West 44th St. Evs. 8:20. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:25. Miss BILLIE BURKE in CLARE KUMMER'S NEW PLAY "The Rescuing Angel."

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PLAYHOUSE West 48th St. Evs. 8:15. Matinees Wed. & Sat. 2:15. Grace George & Her Playhouse Company in "Eve's Daughter" is likely to be an Adam's delight."—Herald. EVE'S DAUGHTER

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"THE SUPREME TEST."

President WILSON sends to Mayor MITCHEL a personal message to the citizens of New York reminding them that the Liberty Loan is the "supreme test of the principles and energy of the people of the United States," and that the whole world is looking to us for the vindication of the principles which this Government represents. Neither the world nor the President will look to New York in vain. The response of New York will depend upon the response of the country. If it shall appear that the country is in the least deficient, in that degree New York will rise to the occasion. If New York should take the loan alone there would be no opportunity for the country to do its share, and it might properly resent New York's claim to a monopoly of loyalty and generosity. It is necessary that New York should know the country's response before it measures the task before it.

There are signs that the second loan differs from the first in that it began less auspiciously and is gaining momentum as the subscription proceeds. When the first loan was offered it was said that it would "fly out of the window," but hard work was necessary to produce the amazingly successful result. This loan began with pessimism. It was said that the field was exhausted and that money was scarce. The time fixed coincided with the local election campaign, with depression in the security market and disturbance of the commodity markets by price fixing, and with the enactment of heavy taxes. But the canvass proceeded better than the first campaign, and will end better. Nevertheless, the country ought not to lie down on New York just because New York will do whatever is asked of it.

The war against Kaiserism is not the affair of Wall Street, but of the people of the United States. If New York should take double the loan offer it would be less satisfactory than the taking of the loan by ten million subscribers. Popular support is wanted as much as financial support. New York is allowing a fair lead to the interior, and the country districts should appreciate that they are on trial more than New York. About New York there is no doubt, for it is well mobilized and can act quickly. But the country is slower, and its response still leaves something to be desired.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is the master key of honesty and efficiency in the whole City Government. Mayor MITCHEL will be powerless for good there unless there is a Fusion majority in the board. He has three votes. The Controller and the President of the Board of Aldermen have each the same number. Controller PRENDERGAST has an unequaled knowledge of the city's finances. In all the intricate details of debt and budget, bonds and revenue, redemption and amortization, corporate stock, corporate stock notes, assessment bonds, and what not, a waiter of incomprehensibilities to most men, in sharp-eyed scrutiny of expenditure in all departments under the pay-as-you-go policy, he is an expert of the experts. He is honest, able, experienced, the best man that could be found for his great place. He must be kept there. It is no post for amiable amateurs. Mr. PRENDERGAST has a clear intellect. He is a master of finance and city business.

Mr. ROBERT ADAMSON, Fusion candidate for President of the Board of Aldermen, is recommended more than sufficiently by his work as head of the Fire Department. The improved equipment, the fine training and morale of the members of that department under his administration, the decrease in fire losses, the decrease in fire insurance rates, the achievements of the Fire Prevention Bureau, testify irrefragably to his energy, his ability, his qualification for office.

Mr. MARCUS M. MARKS, President of the Borough of Manhattan, has two votes in the board. He has shown himself to be a faithful and valuable public officer and deserves re-election. The Department of Public Works and the Bureau of Buildings, the chief organs of borough government, make his office and its employés a more essential part of the daily life of the Manhattan population and of the millions who come into it every day from other boroughs and from outside them. Paving and sewerage, the repair of the sidewalks and the removal of incumbrances from them, the safety of buildings, the control and operation of public buildings, the public markets and baths, are in Mr. MARKS's charge. In spite of the sky-aspiring cost of everything, he has actually reduced the administrative expenses, as he has increased the revenue of his office. He has run it effectively and economically, as he ran his own business. He has made many improvements. He has amply earned the good opinion of the community.

Mr. POUNDS, Mr. WHITTLE, Mr. GANNON, Mr. HIGBIE, candidates, respectively, for President of Brooklyn, the Bronx, Richmond, and Queens, are able and honest men, of high character. Mr. POUNDS's record in office speaks eloquently for him and the duty of keeping in his hands the two votes in the board which belong to his office. He should be re-elected. Good citizens in each of these boroughs should vote for honesty and competency in the board.

Mr. MITCHEL must be re-elected and a Fusion majority in the Board of Estimate secured. That is the condition precedent of the continuation of civilized city government in Greater New York.

GERMAN AGENTS AT WORK.

Senator SAULSBURY, the President pro tem. of the United States Senate, serves his country well in denouncing and revealing the origin of the reports designed to spread discouragement and fear among the friends of soldiers. He deals particularly, in the statement we print elsewhere, with that form of the German propaganda which seeks to spread among the uninformed the idea that it is almost sure death to face the Germans. He speaks of published articles, which usually appear in the form of "letters to the editor," and which proceed either directly from the German secret missionaries in this country or from people duped by them; but the bulk of this slimy work is done not in published writings but in oral communication. The German agent masquerades as an Englishman, a Canadian, a Government employé, a newspaperman, a commercial traveler; he has "inside" information which the Government will not publish; it came to him "confidentially" from a relative in the War Department at Washington, or in the British Foreign Office, or from his brother, who is an officer in the French Aviation Corps, and so on. He drops his poison in one town, sees it fly from mouth to mouth, and moves on to the next.

One of the myriad forms in which the German propaganda is spread by the paid agents of Germany is the story which Senator SAULSBURY denounces, the story that the losses on the western front are so great that a man going there is going to death. The purpose of this particular invention is to frighten the people at home. Whatever the lie may be, the German agent always deals in dates, names, and figures, which, though invented, are so specific as to sound imposing to the ignorant. It is so with this particular lie, the one about the mortality on the battle front. Mr. SAULSBURY instances one allegation that 60,000 British physicians had been killed during the war. The actual number is 150.

He shows that during the first five months of the war, in 1914, the French losses were 5.41 per cent. They have been reduced to 1.28 per cent. for the last six months in 1916. The fact is that, while the losses are great, because of the immense number of men engaged, the percentage is less than in other wars; and it has been lessened from what it was at the beginning because the commanders have learned how to take care of their men. The present system, for example, permits no infantry advance until an artillery barrage has prepared the way.

Another favorite form of the fiction is the story, whispered confidentially by the German agent, who usually got it from a son or a cousin in the corps he mentions, that "the average life" of a soldier in such and such a corps is only so long; and here he mentions an appallingly short time, only a few weeks or even days. This fiction of the certainty of death comes from the same source as the fiction that the Government is concealing the destruction of a number of transports; that the War Department is hiding the mutiny of several regiments; that the British are holding their men at home and making the French and colonials do the fighting; and so on through an endless list. They are always characterized by names, dates, and figures, in a way that imposes on and scares ignorant people. They all proceed from the same source, the German agent; and when one hears them from a stranger he should at once notify the authorities to have the stranger watched. If he hears them from a friend who is above suspicion, he can make up his mind that the friend, though not himself a German agent, is the dupe of one.

WHAT DO THEY THINK OF HIM?

The Bennett Republicans, as a class are intelligent and high-minded citizens. With the personal grudges or ambitions of Mr. BENNETT or Justice CROPSEY they have small concern. Some of them are earnest believers in the efficacy and obligation of the party primary. Some of them inherit the tradition, far outdating the primary, of the value, of the moral force, of party regularity. They know the necessity of discipline in political organization. They have the habit of party orthodoxy. In their practice of "regularity," perhaps they have forgotten a little the reason why municipal are separated from national and State elections. If they have not forgotten, they feel a sort of generous sportsmanship, of playing the game according to the rules. They accept the verdict of the primary, even if they were disappointed by it, even if they would have preferred a different one.

It is easy to understand the position and to do credit to the motives of these honorable and sincere men. It must be getting harder and harder for them to stick to that position. A gallant cleaving to a forlorn hope inspires respect. But since either Mr. MITCHEL or Judge HYLAN must be the next Mayor, with what stomach can these Republicans bring themselves to contribute to the Tammany candidate's election? What impression is he making on them day by day? What must they think of a man who either is, or acts inimitably the part of, an intellectual nullity, the plastic proxy of masters who have willed his nomination—for what reasons and purposes?

As a light from the past flashes on that figure that seemed so limp and colorless, as dubious or sordid passages of his history are disclosed, as, with silences, fumbling explanations, or sudden convenient alibis and aids worthy of the movie, he flounders along in a campaign of self-defense, what do the Bennett Republicans think of him? Do they want that kind of man for Mayor? As good citizens, do they dare to take the responsibility of foisting such a Mayor upon the city?

T. N. T. FOR OUR ARMY IN FRANCE.

If everybody who uses gas understands that one of its by-products, toluol, makes, when treated with nitric and sulphuric acids, "T. N. T.," (trinitrotoluol,) one of the most powerful of high explosives, and that the United States Army in France must depend upon the gas plants of the country for toluol if the Germans are to be shelled out of their trenches, then the American people will demand that every obstacle to what the chemists call recovery of toluol at the gas plants be swept aside; moreover, that a beginning in getting out this indispensable by-product be made with no delay.

The obstacles may be enumerated as follows: Reluctance of public service and public utility commissions which regulate the business of making and selling gas to fix a lower standard, as proposed by the companies which are willing to produce toluol and say that it cannot be done unless their application is approved; hesitation on the part of some of the companies to make the necessary additions to their plants from a fear that the Government will fail to assume the investment risks; outcry by consumers that if the thermal standard is lowered their gas will not be as good and the companies, refusing to reduce the price of it, will make profits at their expense. The Public Service Commission of the Second District, this State, has decided to enable the gas companies to recover toluol. The Commission in the First District is now holding hearings to decide whether there shall be the change in the thermal standard desired, and Chairman STRAUS and his associates are inclined to give their approval, provided the interests of the consumers are protected.

There should be no difficulty about this. It can hardly be the case that the companies would undertake from patriotic motives to furnish the Government with this high explosive constituent and conspire, at the same time, to fleece the consumer. As to the consumer, can there be a doubt that he stands ready to put up with a slightly poorer quality of gas and forego a slight reduction in the price if the compensation shall be the piling up of many more thousands of shells on the western front to smash the German trenches and to intensify the American barrage fire when the boys go "over the top"?

Unhappily, the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of New Jersey has lately gone on record as opposed to fixing a lower thermal standard for gas to make it practicable for the companies to build plants to recover toluol. One of the board's reasons was that the Federal Government had not represented that the heating value of gas must be lowered in order to obtain the supply of toluol needed. This seemed to beg the question. The chemists, we believe, have already demonstrated that the condition asked for is essential. Also the New Jersey board declared that it owed a duty to the consumers. That may be admitted, but the consumers are willing to make sacrifices. The commissions and boards are surely competent to protect the consumer in the last analysis.

As to the misgivings of the companies in regard to their reimbursement by the Government if toluol recovery plants are put in, General CROZIER of the Ordnance Department has announced that the Government is in a position, with ample funds at its disposal, to underwrite and secure investments by the gas companies, and will agree to do so. So there need be no walking the floor on that score.

Away with the delay in this matter! Each day of inaction means, it is said, "a waste of 'T. N. T.' sufficient for 150,000 three-inch shells." It takes three to four months to build the recovery plants. According to General CROZIER, 22,400,000 gallons of toluol should be available by September, 1918, for our mobile artillery alone. Now the fact is that all the toluol obtainable from the twenty-two billion cubic feet of gas now made in this country annually would be only half of the quantity the army will need. All the more reason, then, why the gas companies, upon which the army depends because the yield of every other source of supply belongs by contract to the navy and our allies; all the more reason why public service commissions, the gas companies, and the consumers' representatives should get together and see that the American Army shall have its whirlwind preparation and its barrage fires at the front in France.

THE POOR GOLFER.

In the host of golfers very few reach the coveted domain of super-golf. The average player, capable of bulging with pride when his score drops below 100 strokes, furnishes most of the capital and enthusiasm that maintain private courses and public links. If Mr. Super-Golfer and his fellow-experts were segregated upon greens of their own, confined within bunkers built solely with their own funds, limited to traps dug with no aid from the despised tyro, it is easy to imagine how much the ancient game would lose of its popular interest. To watch and admire marvelous individuals who make par scores is a stimulus necessary to the average player's golf education; he looks upon the master clubsman as proof that it is possible for a human to attain that excellence which he himself touches only on rare occasions upon this or that fairway. But it is chiefly his own poor efforts, coupled with a baseless hope which golf somehow encourages in deluded minds, that keep alive his interest in the game.

Why is it, then, that our American courses—or the best of them, at any rate—are being diverted to the requirements of the super-golfer? The week-end player, without enough leisure time for constant practice, or lacking the natural aptitude for developing into a mighty player, finds his club links turned into a playground fit only for professionals and for amateurs of conspicuous skill. Traps interrupt his every stroke. Bunkers rise to stop the ball that speeds to the uttermost limits of his reach. Distances are measured so as to destroy even the fairly proficient player's score; none but the par wizard can attain them. The whole layout of fairways and greens accords with the needs or fancies of those scarce creatures whose cards abound in "eagles" or "birdies"; who, if they ever found themselves clouting a ball as many times as ninety or a hundred to cover eighteen holes, would seek treatment for their nerves and muscles at the nearest hospital.

It may be that the average golfer is a spineless being, ashamed to raise a voice to uphold his rights in the club. Or perhaps he is too busy counting his strokes to meddle in the club's less important affairs. Anyway, he lets the experts run things. The par player dominates the Greens Committee, lays out the course to suit himself, remodels it to fit his tastes as they grow more exacting month by month, and finally interspersed through the greenswards a series of dugouts, morasses, barriers, and jungles so intricate that the poor nuisances in the club's majority are driven to the nineteenth hole for their only real pleasure. But the worms will turn. Some day the downtrodden will rise in their might of numbers, organize golf courses of their own, bar out all who play below a hundred, and forthwith manage to get a little fun out of their chosen sport. For the member who thereafter learns to play super-golf the penalty will be obvious. He will, in turn, be ousted by his old comrades and forced to join a more exclusive club suited to his new attainments.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

A Lesson for the Pacifists.

Dr. STEWART PATON, a member of the National Research Council and a psychologist of the sort that makes psychology not a vague and useless subdivision of metaphysics but a science, applicable and applied no less directly than chemistry or anatomy to the practicalities and actualities of life, contributes to Mental Hygiene an article that pacifists could read with edification in spite of the pain it is calculated to give them. Its title is "Mobilising the Brains of the Nation," and in it Dr. PATON presents, in the convincing way known to readers of THE TIMES, the contention that pacifists, instead of being, as they fondly imagine, the furthest removed of human kind from such militarists as Germany has produced in appalling numbers, are their own brothers and sisters, differing from them only in that an unlike environment and education have caused an unlike development of the same psychic peculiarity.

The trouble with pacifist and militarist is an exaggeration or hypertrophy of the ego. As Dr. PATON puts it, "the underlying emotional traits and superficial intellectual currents in both cases have their sources in practically the same dangerous egoism." Explaining still more carefully, he says that "the advocate of the doctrine of nonresistance and the champion of the settlement of all claims by force are both seeking for the freedom from the feeling of personal restraint which is expressed often in an apparently impersonal phrasing as 'complete independence of class and party and creed.'"

The German egoist's docility to his Government is only a seeming inconsistency. He has been taught to identify himself with the State, and in its aggrandizement seeks and finds—or loses—his own. The American pacifist, not having a Government sharing his own idiosyncrasy, is obliged to manifest his morbid individualism in another direction and to antagonize the State.

In this curious consanguinity of the pacifist and the militarist there probably lies the explanation of the often noted tendency of the pacifist to be in effect pro-German. Only mildly and reluctantly, if at all, does he denounce the deeds of Germany. He prefers to deny the commission of atrocities when he can—and his abilities along that line permit him to ignore a vast amount of evidence—or else to reprehend any mention of them on the ground that to do so is an incitement to "hate."

Parents, Not Children, Are to Blame.

Instead of going through the rather absurd formality of arresting and taking to court the children who have been secretly instigated to go on a riotous strike against the Gary system of education, why do not the police take the children home and put the responsibility where it, or at any rate one phase of it, really lies—on the parents? In theory, and to a considerable extent in reality, the fathers and mothers of the little rebels, if they chose, could take immediate and effective measures to stop these most unseemly disorders. Only a small amount of disciplinary work in each family would be required to make the youngsters realize that though the stoning of schoolhouse windows is an amusing form of activity, and though holidays are enjoyable, no matter how secured, there are counterbalancing and outweighing penalties of domestic application.

The parents who did not apply those penalties as soon as the riots began are every one of them guilty of a serious offense—they have violated their obligations as citizens in a way that deserves the censure of their neighbors, and should, and probably does, render them legally liable for the property destroyed and the personal injuries inflicted by the children they have neglected to control. To let them off—the few of them whose offspring have been arrested—with a mere promise to do late what they should have done early will only prolong an intolerable situation, while if they were held sternly and fully to their financial responsibilities there would soon spread all through the city a realizing sense of civic duty.

As for the hidden originators of the riots—those who for political or more personal reazons have inspired the children to fight their battles while they themselves remain safely in the background—of course they, too, are guilty of incivism in about its most despicable variant. But they are hard to reach, while the parents cannot possibly escape, and it is the parents who, by their negligence or ignorance, created the opportunity which the secret plotters have utilized.

The longer the riots continue the more will the Gary system undeservedly be discredited among the unthinking and the uninformed. Not one of the reasonable criticisms of the system as introduced here excuses its condemnation, for they are contradictions of its essential principles and can be remedied without affecting it as a system at all.

They Invite Stern Punishment.

Some day it will become necessary, or will be seen as necessary by our military authorities, to give the various kinds of spies and plotters who are continuing here in time of war the criminal work they did in time of peace the one proof likely to convince them that our patience is not without limits. That these concoctors of assorted villainies are not much afraid of going to prison, or to Ellis Island, or to an internment camp where they can live in well-fed and well-housed idleness till the end of hostilities, is made manifest by the continuance of their activities.

But as soon as a few of them have been moved through the brief proceedings of a military court to a confrontation at dawn by a firing squad, the chances are that the enthusiasm of the rest will be so cooled that they will seriously consider the wisdom of using the torch and bomb no more.

Between spy mania and incredulity that spies exist there is a golden or sensible mean of caution and severity. That no fierce yearning for summary executions of hasty death sentences exists in this country is proved by the fact that there has been none of them here yet, though excuses for demanding them have been many and great. But not to be suspicious enough is as bad as, and probably it is much more dangerous than, to be too suspicious. Beyond any question, there are among us spies, and worse than spies. They may not be many, but they are murderous from our point of view, though they may be only patriots from their own.

Under the laws of war their desert is death.

The Tax on Salaries.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Under the income tax law of 1916 a man on a salary was not "engaged in trade," and if he transacted any kind of business or trades on his own account and made losses, he could only credit himself with such losses to the extent of profits similarly made. Under the present law the salaried man seems to have a different status, being put in the same class with partnerships, men engaged in trade, and professional men, in regard to the 8 per cent. excess tax. I would like to know if he should not have the benefit of all losses he may have made during the year? I have in mind a man who earns a large salary and has for a number of years invested his surplus for the purpose of profit getting. For the last two years his investments have resulted in losses without any corresponding profits. Should he not, under the new status given him, be allowed a deduction for all his losses?
New York, Oct. 17, 1917. LUX.

The Country Watching New York.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

America is watching New York. She is watching to see if New York stands for America first. America is watching to see whether her metropolis stands by a man who will not be supported by any pacifist or neutral press, or by any organization or voter who believes in boodle and special favors first and America second. New York City has a great executive to lead her, and the country from Maine to California is watching.
E. F. VERNON.
Los Angeles, Oct. 14, 1917.

MORE PATRIOTIC SINGING.

Lord Aberdeen Suggests a New Verse for "America."

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The magnificent Liberty Loan meeting at Carnegie Hall last Thursday, with all its success, provided also perhaps a suggestion for the organizers of future similar gatherings even though of much less imposing dimensions.

The suggestion is: "Give the audience a chance of joining, now and again, in united song."

The singing of even the finest prima donna cannot quite give scope for the united expression of an overflowing sentiment, such as is provided by a burst of song from a multitude of voices.

Moreover, "The Star-Spangled Banner," which was so effectively rendered as a solo on Thursday evening, is not (as I have often heard Americans remark,) especially adapted for choral use; but if "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" had been given forth, it would assuredly have been taken up by that vast assemblage with a vigor and swing that would have made the rafters ring, and we would all have had that sense of feeling good which results from "letting off steam."

And after all, for a great patriotic occasion, what could be better than the grand old battle hymn composed by Julia Ward Howe? For, although it is primarily the song of this great Republic, it breathes a truly comprehensive spirit and has an international ring which, (as Dr. Lyman Abbott has recently urged,) gives scope and expression for all, no matter what their nationality may be, who are united in one high purpose and sentiment. And as to the refrain, those of us who in our college days used, when marching in procession, to join in singing "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah!" are still ready, though we may now be seniors or semi-seniors, to join with whole heart and voice in that rousing chorus.

Of course there is no novelty in this idea of community singing being appropriate for all patriotic assemblies, especially since the New York Community Chorus inaugurated its inspiriting campaign.

Many of us have listened with much appreciation to its demonstrations in Central Park and elsewhere, and now, best of all, the soldiers and sailors are gaining the benefit of this stimulating element in effectual training.

Reverting lastly to "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," I venture to remark that in Canada an extra verse is now often introduced when the national anthem "God Save the King," is being sung.

Of course the meter is that of the tune "America," which is shared in common by the two peoples, and the words may be perhaps considered not unworthy of being imported, at least temporarily, into that noble ode, "My Country," the beauty and fascination of which seem only to increase with familiarity of use.

The Canadian verse to which I have alluded runs thus:

God bless our splendid men,
Send them safe home again.
God save our men!
Happy and glorious,
Dauntless and chivalrous,
Winners of freedom,
God save our men!

ABERDEEN AND TEMAIR.
New York, Oct. 20, 1917.

From an American Airman in France

To the Editor of The New York Times:

An article in your paper of Aug. 20, referring to me, has just come to my attention. I wish to say that the statements in this article are false. I have been in France for one year, and during that time have been connected first with the Norton-Harjes Ambulance Corps, being with them for six months, after which I signed up for the duration of the war in the Franco-American Flying Corps. On May 10 of this year, after a short period in one of the French camps, I received a permission of twenty-one days in America, on account of an injury to my arm, received while with the ambulance. During my short stay in America I was never entertained by the Aero Club of America, or attended any dinner said to be given by them to me. This statement can be corroborated by referring to the Aero Club of America. So far as posing as a Lafayette Airman, I wish to say that this was never done, but many friends of mine whom I met may have referred to me as a Lafayette man, due to the fact that it is the only American air squad in France known in the States.

I have been in this camp since my permission, where I am still a member of the Franco-American Flying Corps.

PILOT CLARENCE M. GLOVER,
Ecole d'Aviation Militaire, Camp d'Avord, (Cher,) France, Sept. 16, 1917.

The Loan in St. Paul.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Following the example set by our Government, we believe in preparing before striking. St. Paul did not start her loan campaign until Monday, the 15th. We do not claim to be a large city, although we have contributed more recruits to the navy and to the marines than any other city in the United States, but having more than doubled our allotment on the first Liberty Loan campaign, President Wilson called on us for $15,000,000 this time, and in just three days our subscriptions aggregate $17,597,500 for the City of St. Paul alone, and we are not through yet.

Minneapolis itself may be a bit slow, but St. Paul admits that Minneapolis will subscribe her full share before the campaign is over.

FITZHUGH BURNS.
St. Paul, Oct. 18, 1917.

A SONG OF SACRIFICE.

Sing a song of service,
A transport full of men;
Our finest boys and fittest,
God speed them, now, and when
The battle strikes, God help them
To stand against the Hun;
Nor ever stop to count the cost
Until the job is done.

Sing a song of sixpence—
Our coffers full of cash
To pay the cost, to save the boys,
To speed the final smash.
A mighty Loan to Liberty,
The biggest we can give;
Our bit, our best, to make the world
A safer place to live.

Sing a song of cereals—
For us the corn and rye;
But speed the wheat to Belgium
And to our "belle" Ally,
And when the bread is buttered
And served along the trench,
Oh, won't that be a welcome snack
To cheer the hungry French?

Sing a song of sirloin—
"Not any, thanks, today!"
Send ours to feed the Tommies,
And keep the Boche at bay.
We Yankees are like kittens,
Meat diet gives us fits;
It will not hurt our khaki boys—
They'll give the fits to Fritz.

Sing a song of sugar—
"No, thanks, one lump will do!"
A million starving children
Would like the other two.
And when the war is over,
And peace resumes her song,
'Twill sweeter be than sugar
To think we helped along.

HENRY H. HARSTOW.

A NEW THEORY OF THE LUSITANIA SINKING.

The Evidence of the German Medal Dated May 5 and the Report of the Explosive "Cigars" on Board.

By E. HENRY LACOMBE.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Your news columns indicate that some German here succeeded in placing on board of the Lusitania six "cigars," as he calls them. This "cigar" apparently was a bomb of some convenient shape, containing a very high explosive adapted to be put in action by a time mechanism set to function a prescribed number of hours after it was released.

If this statement be correct, may it not help to elucidate a puzzling mystery? The die for the German medal which commemorates the sinking was cut before it occurred; the error in the date demonstrates that fact. Possibly it was thought desirable to have the medal appear so promptly after the event as to be a triumph of efficiency. Looking at the medal—a replica is before the writer—it seems hardly necessary to have provided the die in advance; it is so crude and inartistic that little time must have been required to produce it.

The date given on the medal is May 5, but the Lusitania was not torpedoed until May 7. It might have been expected that she would be where the submarine was waiting for her by May 5, but the unexpected sometimes happens at sea, and it was taking chances to decide in advance that the submarine would meet her on a particular day. Moreover, with a vessel of her speed, forty-eight hours means many miles; we know she was where the submarine was waiting for her on May 7; on May 5 she was a long way to the westward of that place, and we have never heard that she was lagging much below her normal on her way through the free zone. At the time when they were cutting the die ordinary calculation would indicate that on May 5 she would be well to the westward of the submarine which sank her.

Now, assuming that it works properly, a time mechanism may be more surely depended upon than any calculation, made days in advance, as to the position at a given moment of time of two vessels on the ocean. If the German diecutter were advised that the Lusitania carried six "cigars," all timed to explode a definite number of hours after they were set, and also advised of the hour when they were set, he might calculate with reasonable certainty that she would sink some time on May 5. If German headquarters here were informed that the cigars had been placed, timed, and the mechanism started, they could send word by wireless, (or otherwise,) to that effect and, relying on the efficiency of the mechanism, it is not surprising that the date of her sinking was decided to be May 5.

Moreover, the German Embassy gave very emphatic and specific warning in reference to traveling by this particular steamer. If it depended on her meeting some watching submarine, the warners were taking chances; course might be changed, machinery might break down, conditions of weather and sea at the critical moment, some enemy vessel or seaplane might interfere with the functioning of the submarine. If, after having given this solemn warning nothing happened, the embassy would have exposed itself to ridicule, a risk it might naturally wish to avoid. But if it knew that six "cigars" were on board with mechanism unaffected by any such contingencies, it might feel confident enough to take chances and give the warning. Out of the six presumably one or more would function on time.

Evidently none of them worked as expected, since nothing happened on the day fixed upon, May 5. The narrative reminds one of Zero the Dynamiter in Stevenson's second series of the New Arabian Nights.

Were the cigars on board? The German narratives of the event of May 7, as reported in English and American publications, indicate that the officers of the submarine noted that the noise of the explosion upon impact of the torpedo was very much louder than normal. That circumstance was referred to in German publications as indicating that the Lusitania carried a cargo of high explosives. Her manifest has been published, it is not now at hand, but my recollection is that it did not include any explosives, except in small arms ammunition. May it not be that the torpedo happened to strike where one or two of the "cigars" were nesting, unawakened by the time mechanism, and that all exploded so near together as to produce a single impression on the ear?

E. HENRY LACOMBE.
New York, Oct. 20, 1917.

STRICTLY NEUTRAL

But Holland Has Grievances Against England and America.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I am a Hollander, and I have read your article of Oct. 18, "Food and the War," which I cannot let pass without the following comments:

I think you have not exactly the right idea about the standpoint which Holland takes in this world war. Let me repeat it again. Our Government wants to be neutral—absolutely, strictly neutral. Our Queen, our Prime Minister, Cort van der Linden, have declared this on every possible occasion. And those sayings were not words. For this purpose our small country has kept under the colors and paid for an army of about 600,000 men, which can, if necessary, be raised to one of nearly 1,000,000 men, as many as the United States intends to put in the field next Spring. Our press, our people, we stand united behind our Government in its policy of strict neutrality. We are peaceful, we don't want war, by which we only can lose everything and win nothing.

A true Hollander is pro-Holland, not pro-German or pro-Ally. He may have his sentiments for one of the warring parties, but in the last moment his country is first. He judges, then, the deeds of the fighting nations by the fair interests, the honor of his country, hurt thereby. At the moment he sees that his country is in fact blockaded by the Allies, that the commercial cablegrams between England and Holland are stopped, while England wants Holland to forbid to Germany the use of waterways for the transportation of sand, &c. England says that this is used for warfaring objects. In passing, I want to observe that I have read also, in your paper, the official announcement of our Government that the case was investigated by our officers, who could not find anything wrong, but that our Government is willing to prevent the shipping if the English can prove their statement. In your article you overlook this declaration of the Government of the Netherlands.

The Hollander sees, further, that a great many Dutch ships are held up in American harbors; that the grain therein, bought by his Government and badly wanted in his country, is rotting away; that in the meantime his people at home are starving, in the name of the defense of the small nations.

We are of those small nations, and, moreover, we have some history. Among other things, for instance, we have fought eighty years for our liberty. We have a reputation, some honor, to lose. So we don't want to be bullied because we don't belong to the great powers. We don't want to be a second Greece.

And now, when our press expresses and backs this feeling of the Hollanders, you call this pro-German. You say that German influence and intrigue are working. I repeat, you don't know the Hollanders. We are not accustomed to bribery, neither are our papers. I name in this connection specially the Handelsblad of Amsterdam, because it has used, according to the cable you got from Holland, the incriminative words, "declaration of war." I observe, moreover, that the editor is a gentleman of whom one certainly cannot say that he has pro-German sentiments; he has a British wife.

I hope that I have made clearer for you the standpoint of the Hollanders.

Dr. H. H. A. VAN GYBLAND OOSTERHOFF.
Bronxville, N. Y., Oct. 20, 1917.

Hylan's Campaign Material.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The false and prejudiced assault of Mayor Mitchel's opponents upon the Rockefeller Foundation is an appeal to class hatred and social confusion at a critical hour, when everything we have and are is subject to requisition for the safety of the nation. Miss Ida Tarbell, whose previous publications guarantee her a disinterested witness, has rebuked what she properly describes as "an absurd and disreputable agitation," which is both "ignorant and dishonest." The report of the Foundation for 1916 shows that large sums of money have been expended for scientific research and the increase of medical efficiency, in order that epidemics may be eradicated and the general health and well-being conserved both at home and abroad. What have these praiseworthy objects to do with the political fortunes of Judge Hylan and his supporters? Unless they produce evidence of collusion, which at present is not in sight, their abuse of a splendid and cosmopolitan enterprise should react upon themselves, and that eventually it will do so I have no doubt whatever.

S. PARKES CADMAN.
Brooklyn, Oct. 20, 1917.

"IN TYRANNOS."

A Special Appeal to the Foreign Born in Behalf of the Liberty Loan.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Adolph Lewisohn, in his letter in behalf of the financial munition campaign now under way, addresses an ardent appeal to the owners of miniature pocketbooks, and it is our duty to listen to the man:

"This is not Mr. Wilson's war, nor Mr. Lansing's war, nor Mr. McAdoo's war; it is our war, the war of every good American."

Here I beg to interrupt Mr. Lewisohn's eloquent arraignment of the criminal originators of the bloody earthquake with its poisonous fumes and deafening roars—it is principally our war, the war of the citizens of foreign birth and descent. And we, the 30,000,000 people who, either ourselves, or whose parents found in this blessed, hospitable country a refuge from the tyrannical rule of Europe and its disastrous economic consequences, should therefore consider it as a point of decency to enroll our names, to the last man, on Uncle Sam's List of Honor and Duty.

I chose as heading of my appeal the famous device young Friedrich Schiller chose in 1781 for his revolutionary drama, "The Brigands," which dangerously shook the thrones of the one hundred-odd Kings, Princes, and princelings of the then Germany, eight years before the storming of the Bastille, twelve years before the royal head was separated from the rest of the anatomy of their cousin, Louis XVI.

"Against the Tyrants" should, indeed, be the slogan of all enlightened patriots who enlisted themselves among the volunteer canvassers in this second Punic War our Treasury Department is waging against the terrestrial Carthage of our time. Rome conquered, and the "Fides Punica" became a byword still ringing in our ears. And so will the Allies win, and, unless the German people quickly shake off its Hohenzollerns, Tirpitzes, and Bernstorffs, the formerly so dearly loved and respected "Deutsche Treue" will become, in its turn, an object of laughter and contempt among the nations.

By a curious coincidence Mr. Lewisohn's appeal appeared on the same day with President Wilson's Liberty Day proclamation. But I am almost sure the President, with his fine psychological instinct, intentionally signed his name to his latest "call to arms" on Columbus Day—the day doubly significant to us of foreign birth and descent. Providence chose a "foreigner" for the rediscovery of the American continent so that it may serve as the future resting place for the descendants of his brethren, with the Anglo-Saxon colony as the predestined teacher and organizer of the rule of democracy.

This war is then, indeed, our war, in the deepest and broadest sense of the word, and that foreign-born citizen or inhabitant who is not counted among the paupers and hates to be numbered among the cowardly shirkers—why not call a spade a spade?—is in duty bound to put down his name on the dotted line. Every single signature is a silver bullet aimed at Vogt Gessler's head. William Tell, by his splendid marksmanship, freed his Swiss fatherland from the tyrannic rule of Austria, founding through his heroic act the mother of European republics.

Let us, every one of us, imitate his example. Let us not deserve the reproach of the free man who did his duty; let us not willfully expose ourselves to the danger of being morally, and, who knows, even legally, excommunicated some day, when the names will be counted, from the commonwealth of American citizenhood.

A CITIZEN OF FOREIGN DESCENT.
New York, Oct. 20, 1917.

Lowering the Average.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

If it be true, as eminent scientists have asseverated, that the average intelligence of the American people is approximately 55 per cent. and that of women (as a generality) is 10 per cent. lower, then obviously the equal franchise would not have a very salutary influence or effect. Surely the women are not so presumptuous as to believe that their vote will neutralize that portion of the vote cast by the unintelligent and illiterate (so-called) male.

To my mind, woman's vote cannot improve the quality or the qualifications of political candidates. Why, then, should we more than double the present unintelligent vote and add materially to the costs of elections? Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.

J. EDWIN ROBERTS.
Brooklyn, Oct. 16, 1917.

ROBT. FITZSIMMONS DIES OF PNEUMONIA

One Time Champion Pugilist Passes Away After Brief Illness in Chicago.

HIS NOTABLE RING CAREER

Began Life as a Blacksmith and Defeated Corbett, Peter Maher, and Many Other Noted Fighters.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22, Monday.—Robert Fitzsimmons, the former heavyweight champion pugilist, who had been ill in this city with pneumonia, died early today.

Robert Fitzsimmons, once the lightheavyweight champion of the world, was born at Helston, Cornwall, England, June 4, 1862. He was a fighter by inheritance, his father having been the best man in a county famous for fighters and wrestlers. His brothers, "equally natural fighters," "Lanky Bob," as he was known to the sporting world, migrated with his family to New Zealand when still a small boy. He was apprenticed at the horse-shoeing trade and learned the art of boxing from his brother, Jairet.

His first appearance in the ring was at "Jem" Mace's amateur boxing tournament, held at Timaru, New Zealand, in 1880. Bob, although then only 18 years old, knocked out four men in one night, and won the amateur championship of New Zealand. When he had defeated the amateurs, he turned his attention to the professionals, and put on the gloves with Herbert A. Slade, who had been booked to fight John L. Sullivan, in this country. To the surprise of those interested, Fitzsimmons succeeded in defeating Slade. He was then a full-fledged professional, and fought and defeated in rapid succession under prize ring rules Arthur Cooper, Jim Crawford and Jack Murphy.

He left New Zealand, looking for other worlds to conquer, and went to Sydney, Australia, where he at once defeated Jack Brimmund, a heavyweight, who upped the scales at 170, while Fitzsimmons weighed in at only 148 pounds. He won over all the middleweights with pretensions in Australia, and departed for this country. American sporting men were suspicious of him at first, for it said he had submitted to defeat at the hands of Jim Hall, back in Sydney, for a consideration.

His Many Victories.

In all his ring battles fought in this country Fitzsimmons demonstrated that he knew the game thoroughly. He met and defeated the best men in the country, among them, James J. Corbett, Peter Maher, Dan Creedon, Joe Godfrey, Frank Kellar, Gus Ruhlin, Jim Daly, Jim Thorne, and he lost on an alleged foul to Tom Sharkey. At this time the fighter stood 6 feet 11¼ inches in height and weighed in normal condition about 175 pounds. His reach was 76½ inches, but in his prime he was as supple and strong as any fighter in the ring. He was described once as "a cannon ball on a pair of pipe stems."

A few months after his affair with Hall in Australia, when he was reported to have "laid down," his first battle that brought him into prominence here was that with Jack Dempsey for the middle-weight championship at New Orleans on Jan. 14, 1891. Dempsey landed enough blows on Fitzsimmons to have won a dozen fights, but he was repeatedly knocked down, in the tenth three times, in the twelfth seven times, and in the thirteenth six times, after which Dempsey's seconds threw up the sponge. His fight with Jim Hall at New Orleans has been described as in Hall's favor up to the time he was knocked out. Dan Creedon, who was backed by Corbett to beat Fitzsimmons, landed but three light blows on the Cornishman when they met in 1894 at New Orleans. Corbett's old antagonist, Joe Choynski, drawn by his police record in a knockout at the hands of Fitzsimmons at Boston on June 17, 1894.

His Fight with Corbett.

Fitzsimmons battled for his largest purse in his fight with Hall at New Orleans. The purse was $40,000, but Fitz received only a part of the money. His most memorable fight, and the one which brought him enduring fame in pugilistic sportdom was his fight with Corbett, in which he took the championship from the latter only to lose it later to James J. Jeffries. The fight took place at Carson City on March 17, 1897, before thousands of spectators. The fighting had been nip and tuck all the way, until the fourteenth round when Fitzsimmons struck Corbett a powerful blow over the heart. Corbett dropped, remaining unconscious for several minutes after the count had been made by the referee.

Fitzsimmons was twice defeated by Jeffries, once at Coney Island on June 9, 1900, and again at San Francisco on July 25, 1903. He was knocked out both times. He was knocked out by Jack O'Brien at San Francisco in thirteen rounds in 1907, and in the following year he was defeated by Jack Johnson at Philadelphia. His last fight was with K. O. Sweeney at Williamsport on Jan. 29, 1914. No decision was given.

The former champion of the world was chosen by Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor, as the best specimen of muscular development the ring had produced. He was unlike many pugilists in the respect that he never dissipated during his active ring career. He was married four times and made his home at Dunellen, N. J.

$30 WORKMAN MADE $300.

Coat Pocket Maker Was Getting Big Profit by Subletting Work.

Mrs. Florence Kelley, Secretary of the Consumers' League, who is a member of the United States Board of Control for Labor Standards, told the University Settlement Forum at 184 Eldridge Street last night of the extraordinary difficulties confronting the board in seeing that needle workers who make uniforms are paid a living wage. An expert accountant, she said, familiar with every branch of the needle trade was sent into a shop, where he found the working conditions extremely good, with plenty of floor space and light and good ventilation. Everything seemed satisfactory until the accountant looked into the matter of payment for coat pockets.

One man who made coat pockets drew a wage of $30 a week, but on further investigation it was found that this man really made $300 a week by subletting the work to his acquaintances and paying them as little as they would work for. The original contractor was not concerned, so long as he received his 10 per cent. profit, and he allowed the $30-a-week man to do as he saw fit with the work. Mrs. Kelley attacked the State law which allows children as young as 12 to do farm work certain parts of the year, reducing the compulsory school year from nine to four and a half months. She said that the "folly of which this State is guilty has unhappily been widely copied."

COMES FROM PEKING TO WED

John Zumbrum First Met His Bride on the Great Wall of China.

John D. Zumbrum, Managing Director of the Camera Craft Company of Peking, China, and Miss Louise Hoelderlin, a Red Cross nurse, and a graduate of both the Long Island College Hospital and the New York Post Graduate Hospital Training Schools for Nurses, were married at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's brother, William Hoelderlin, 348 Irving Avenue, Brooklyn. Miss Mina Dongue was the bride's attendant, and William Meelderlin, a nephew of the bride, was the best man.

Mr. Zumbrum met his bride a year ago when with a party of tourists she was walking along the great wall of China. They were introduced by mutual friends, and the acquaintance thus begun was completed by yesterday's ceremony. Miss Hoelderlin returned some months since to this country and the engagement was announced several weeks ago. Mr. Zumbrum came on to America and take his bride back to Peking after a brief honeymoon here. He served eight years in the United States Army and is a Spanish-American War veteran, and has been engaged for ten years in business in Peking. His home here was at Hanover.

MISS SALTUS TO WED OCT. 25.

Gives a Theatre Party Today for Her Bridesmaids.

Miss Elsie Welsh Saltus will give a theatre party this afternoon for the attendants at her wedding on Thursday to J. Theus Munds. After the play she will take the guests to 470 Park Avenue, which is to be her home after the wedding, where tea will be served.

Mr. Munds will give a bachelor dinner this evening at Sherry's for thirty-two guests, including his attendants, who are to be Lyman B. Kendall, as best man, and the ushers, Sidney Dillon Ripley, Maury H. B. Paul, H. Pendleton Rogers, Henry D. Steers, Karrick M. Castle, Donald W. Lamb, L. de l'Aigle Munds, and the Vicomte Fal de Saint Phalle.

Tomorrow Miss Genevieve Clendenin, one of the bridal attendants, will entertain at Sherry's with a luncheon for the bridal party, and on Thursday evening, after Mr. and Mrs. Munds have left on their honeymoon, the latter's aunt, Miss Josephine C. Smith, will give a dinner at Sherry's for the bridal attendants and afterward a party to the play.

Lemuel E. Quigg's Son Marries.

Murray Townsend Quigg, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel E. Quigg, and Miss Eleanor B. Wisner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hornor Wisner of 128 West Fifty-ninth Street, took out a license Saturday morning and were married that afternoon in the Church of Grace Church by the rector, the Rev. Dr. Charles Lewis Slattery. Mr. Quigg is a Second Lieutenant in the United States Reserve Corps. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended only by her cousin, Miss Priscilla Lakewood. Mr. Quigg's best man was Albert Tweedy of Poughkeepsie, and the ushers were Paul Wisner, a brother of the bride, and John Colton.

Miss Godwin to Wed on Saturday.

The marriage of Miss Alice Godwin, a daughter of Dr. William Francis Godwin, formerly of Baltimore, but now living in Englewood, N. J., and Lieutenant Hamilton Fish Saltonstall, Jr., whose engagement has just been announced, will take place on Saturday next in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Englewood. The rector and brother-in-law of the bride, the Rev. Dr. Fleming James, will officiate. Miss Godwin's only attendant will be Mrs. Albert A. Detman, and Walker Mifflin of Dover, Del., is to be the best man.

Miss Ruth E. Dunning to Wed.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ruth E. Dunning of Garden City, daughter of Clarence S. Dunning, to Lieutenant Hamilton Fish Saltonstall, Jr., of the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, U. S. R. The wedding will take place this Wednesday, at the home of Miss Dunning's brother, Clifford A. Dunning, at Glen Cove, L. I.

SEES ENEMY PLOT IN WAR LOSS SCARE

Casualties Exaggerated by Pro-Germans, Senator Saulsbury Says, to Deter America.

LOSSES NOW AT A MINIMUM

Less Than in Civil War, He Declares —Looks for German Collapse Within Five Months.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Senator Willard Saulsbury of Delaware issued a statement tonight concerning pro-German propaganda which, he says, is being spread insidiously throughout the United States in an effort to discourage sending American troops to France. The Senator speaks of what he characterizes as a deliberate falsification of casualty figures to make it appear that the French and British are now losing a much higher percentage of men in battle than at any previous period of the war. This is done, the Senator says, to attempt to create a false impression as to the hopelessness of carrying on the fight against the German military machine.

The Maryland Senator has investigated reports from the French front pertaining to British and French casualties and says that, far from the losses being greater than heretofore, they are less, proportionately, than at any previous time. He condemns the publication of the false reports in newspapers of pro-German tendency and expresses the hope that the Government will stop them.

"To read some of the statements about the losses of men on the French front," Senator Saulsbury says, "one would suppose there never had been such casualties in warfare. As a matter of fact, the percentage of losses is less than during our civil war.

"M. Tardieu, the High French Commissioner, has given the absolute figures of the French losses. During the five months of fighting in 1916 the percentage of French losses was 5.41 per cent. The losses for the twelve months of fighting in 1916 amounted to only 2.75 per cent., and the losses for the last six months of that year were only 1.28 per cent.

Losses Reduced to a Minimum.

"Certainly no one minimizes the dangers incurred in warfare at the present time, but the losses are no greater now than they were in warfare years ago, and, due to care and preparation taken before the men of our Allies now go into battle, they are reduced to a minimum. Only 20 per cent. of the actual casualties reported cause death, and the deaths from wounds are only eleven in one thousand.

"A letter signed 'Pacifist' stated that 60,000 British physicians had been killed during the war. The American Medical Journal shows that there were only 12,000 medical men in the British Army altogether, and that the lives lost from injuries received in battle were only 150.

"The effort is undoubtedly being insidiously made so our people will believe that certain death awaits our soldiers in France, and it is not surprising when we think of the world-wide effort which has been made for years to make us look at the German war machine as composed of 'supermen.' The very foundations of militarism in Germany are rotten to the core. The war has now entered upon the stage when the preservation of the Hohenzollern dynasty is the main cause of its continuance, and it only needs a further awakening of the German people to cause a collapse.

"Necessarily information of the true conditions cannot be concealed very much longer from the German people as a whole, and, when realized, I have no doubt the end will come with swiftness and certainty. Many of the best military men I have known have said that you can drive men into a charge in battle always once, usually twice, sometimes three times, but there comes a time when a realization of the hopelessness of success makes it impossible to arouse in the men the spirit of attack and often even of resistance.

"I have been told too many times to doubt the truth of the assertion that the Germans have found it necessary to publish the names of the guns which they are expected to serve, and it would seem to me that such a list nearly arrived in Germany where effective resistance will be broken. The German propaganda as to the deadly character of the conflict on the part of our Allies is one, and so far as our men are concerned who will soon be fighting with them, is cleverly calculated to depress the spirits of our people at home.

Cites Insurance Premiums.

"Insurance companies do not take risks in order to lose money. They always play on the safe side, and some of our insurance companies, for 10 per cent. premiums, are insuring the lives of soldiers bound to the front. This means as a business proposition that more than 50 per cent. of our soldiers who fight at the front for five years after they start will return home. Of course, no one believes the war can last five years or may last five months—and the percentage of deaths in such cases would sink into insignificance. And as to the 'scare' articles, which really ought to be labeled as paid for by German interests, represent that the chance of escaping death is not five in a hundred for the average time.

"I class the attempt to frighten our people and to work upon their fears and sympathies with the 'milk for German babies' propaganda, by which it was sought to work upon our sympathies early in the war and force us into conflict with Great Britain. All these statements were gross exaggeration. My eminent was that if the great scientific and industrial attainments of the German people did not enable them to nourish their babies, they were not much to be feared, and the war would soon be over. All the "milk for babies" propaganda has absolutely ceased, and the 'danger' propaganda of fighting these 'masterful supermen' will soon fade away.

"I do think, however, that reputable journals should not permit the insertion in their columns of articles intended to work upon the fears of our people or make mothers, wives, and sweethearts unhappy. This I do know from personal observation, that the young fellows who are training themselves to take part in the contest for the preservation of the rights of their country and the honor of our people are not affected, even in a small degree, by such representations. If any American desires to experience a feeling of patriotic exaltation, he need go no further than a training camp here, wherever that may be. He will then appreciate that the young men of America are as brave and patriotic as he could wish and are not holding back from an opportunity to distinguish themselves and show the patriotism of our people."

DANIELS NOMINATES WOMEN'S NAVY BOARD

Selects Sixteen Members For Red Cross Committee To Carry on Auxiliary Work.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Secretary Daniels tonight made public a letter to Henry P. Davison, Chairman of the War Council of the American Red Cross, indorsing the latter's plan for forming navy auxiliaries in all local Red Cross chapters throughout the country to enable women to carry forward the work of providing comforts for the men in the navy.

The Red Cross War Council has decided to form a Woman's Advisory Committee on Navy Auxiliaries, and at the request of Mr. Davison Secretary Daniels has nominated the sixteen members of this body, as follows:

Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury, Philadelphia, Chairman; Mrs. George Dewey, Washington; Mrs. George Barnett, Washington; Mrs. W. B. Bell, Los Angeles; Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, New York; Mrs. Cary T. Grayson, Washington; Mrs. Bryan Lathrop, Chicago; Mrs. E. T. Meredith, Des Moines, Iowa; Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, New York; Mrs. Henry A. Rea, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, Bloomington, Ill.; Mrs. James M. Thomson, New Orleans; Mrs. French Vanderbilt, Newport, and Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Boston.

In his letter to Mr. Davison Secretary Daniels says:

I have in the following radiogram communicated to all ships, naval and training stations the fact that the Red Cross will hereafter be the only authorized organization through which gifts may be transmitted by the people of America to their navy.

"In order to avoid duplication of effort and maintain strict secrecy as to location of individuals and vessels, gifts to enlisted men of the navy and marine corps will be accepted only when forwarded through the American Red Cross, the sole organization officially organized to render this service. This shall not be construed to prohibit delivery of personal individual gifts, or tokens sent by mail by members of families or friends of individuals.

"While the Navy Department is now prepared to supply all requisite heavy clothing for the men when on exposed sea duty, these articles in no way take the place of the personal tokens of gratitude and affection from the women of the country, which, particularly when prepared by their own hands, contribute to the spirit and to the contentment and happiness of the men."

Regarding the committee which he nominated Mr. Daniels wrote:

"The personnel of this committee is representative of all sections of the country and of the highest type of intelligent and patriotic womanhood. You will find these ladies willing and eager to devote themselves under your direction to promoting the happiness and welfare of the enlisted men. I earnestly hope that all the patriotic women's organizations throughout the country whose members are interested in this branch of the service will be willing to co-operate in this comprehensive plan."

DR. MAXWELL RECOVERING.

Superintendent of Schools Out of Danger After Operation.

Dr. William H. Maxwell, Superintendent of Schools, who was operated on for intestinal trouble about two weeks ago, and who has since been in a serious condition in the Flushing Hospital, is now on the road to recovery, according to a statement made last night by Dr. Joseph S. Thomas, one of his attending physicians.

"I expect to see Dr. Maxwell resume his duties," said Dr. Thomas. "While he underwent a very difficult operation his health is now improving, and I believe it will require about two months for a period of convalescence. His recovery is remarkable."

Obituary Notes.

CHRISTOPHER SIEVERS, for more than forty years in the grocery business, died on Saturday at his home, 50 Willow Place, Brooklyn, in his seventy-first year.

Mrs. LEORA BROWN SEYMOUR-PIERSON, wife of Hilliard Pierson, a newspaperman, died suddenly on Saturday at her home, 946 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn. She was born in Omaha fifty-five years ago.

OSCAR E. BEINER, 58 years old, an advertising agent, died suddenly on Saturday in his room at the Hotel McAlpin. His home was at Forest Green, Forest Hills.

Mrs. HERMINE WUNDRAM, 78 years old, widow of George W. Wundram, who was long connected with the Department of Water Supply as an architect, died on Friday at her home, 3,310 Clarendon Road, Flatbush.

Mrs. ANNA A. WILKINS, wife of Darby Wilkins of Manhasset, L. I., and sister of Jignes L. Dowsey, an attorney of this city, and Dr. George H. Dowsey of Great Neck, L. I., died at her home at Manhasset, on Saturday.

Mrs. ANNIE HOLMES SILLECK, wife of Elbert A. Silleck, proprietor of the Silleck House at Greenwich, Conn., died yesterday at her home, 102 Riverside Drive, in her fifty-second year.

Mrs. KATE J. DE YOUNG, wife of M. H. De Young, publisher of The San Francisco Chronicle, died in San Francisco Saturday night, after a long illness.

SURGEONS DISCUSS HUMAN SALVAGE

Outline a Program of Rehabilitation for the Permanently Disabled.

HOSPITALS STANDARDIZED

British and American Treatment of Casualties Uniform, Delegates at Chicago Are Told.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Details of a program of human salvage, physical, mental and spiritual, on behalf of the men of America who may be disabled in the war with Germany, were announced and agreed upon today at a meeting of surgeons from all parts of this country with other surgeons fresh from the front. Acting in conjunction with the eighth annual Clinical Congress of Surgeons, which 3,000 surgeons are attending in Chicago all this week, the General Medical Board of the National Council of Defense convened in public session in the morning and then went into executive session in the afternoon, when the general items of the plan of conservation of human life were taken up.

Sir Berkeley Moynihan, especially commissioned by Sir Alfred Keogh, Director General of British Army hospitals, to confer with the American surgeons, presented a general report at the morning public session, which only hinted at the high mark aimed at in the conservation measures of the British Army.

Major George W. Crile, sent by the United States Government in charge of the first American base hospital, No. 4, to be founded in France, told what far-reaching plans for treating American victims of shot, gas, and shell were either now in operation or would be when the American troops reached the firing line.

At the executive meeting in the afternoon there were present Surgeon General Gorgas, U. S. A.; Surgeon General Blue, United States Public Health Service; Dr. F. F. Simpson, Chairman of the board; Major W. F. Snow, Secretary of General Gorgas's office; Major William Mayo—all members of the board—and Sir Berkeley Moynihan, Colonel H. H. Goodwin, British Attaché of General Gorgas's office as the special British medical representative in this country; Colonel Dercle of the French Army, Major Crile, lately returned from France, and Majors Sullivan, Bailey, and Brackett of the Surgeon General's staff, as well as many other surgeons holding military rank and representing several different States.

Major Snow, while unable to go at length into the plans, which were discussed behind closed doors for more than three hours, said, in effect:

"Standardization of hospital management and technique of handling field casualties has been made practically uniform as between Great Britain and the United States. Very little difference as to the placing and conduct of field dressing stations, relay hospitals, and the larger base hospitals have been brought out.

"The point of general public interest toward which the doctors' attention should be directed is that every effort will be made to do the best 'repair' work possible on men whose early return to the trenches is out of the question. Nearest to the trenches, of course, and subject to the zone of shell fire, is the aid dressing station, now usually established in a dugout, to be protected as well as may be from the shock of battle and high-explosive shells. This is usually reached by a communicating trench.

"Back of this standard position dictates that there be other stations above ground where anaesthetics may be given, if absolutely necessary, and radical operations performed if a life may be saved by taking this chance under conditions not wholly favorable. The desire is to perform such operations where the patient may rest.

"Then come the regular hospital headquarters, where cases may receive the best of attention, and men put into shape to return to service as the quickest possible time. Or, if they are so maimed that they must be returned home, or to educational and reconstructive institutions, then we confront the greatest feature of the plan.

"Previous wars, notably the civil war, have made of men who came out of battles maimed or shocked or blind physical and mental and moral wrecks. They have had no ambition or desire to regain the things worth while once dear to them. This is not to be so now. Expert opticians and optometrists will do all that they can for men partly blind, for instance. Expert psychologists will devote their time to studying the state of mind and point of view of soldiers who have paid their price and to whom things look black. Their morale will be built up, they will receive new interests, and every opportunity to realize that life is worth living and the more so that their duty has been well done.

"Tomorrow evening at Orchestra Hall there will be a session of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons, at which these well-known men are expected to be present: Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy; Surgeon Generals Williams and Gorgas, William C. Braisted, Rupert Blue; Colonel T. H. Goodwin, representative of the British Army Medical Service, and Colonel C. Dercle of the French Army; Major Charles H. Mayo, Medical Reserve Corps, and President of the American Medical Association.

At this session Sir Berkeley Moynihan will present observation on the medical service of the British Army, and Major George W. Crile will talk of the work of the American units in France.

Daily clinics in many hospitals will occupy the attention of the surgeons, practically every phase of modern surgical practice being exploited under varying conditions with particular reference to the newer problems presented by the war.

The Rev. Thomas Spurgeon Dead.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Rev. Dr. Thomas Spurgeon, former pastor of the Metropolitan Tabernacle, died here Saturday. He was born in London in 1856, the son of Charles Haddon Spurgeon, a famous English Baptist preacher, who was the first pastor at the Tabernacle and also was the founder of a pastors' college, schools, almshouses, and an orphanage.

AUTOS KILL THREE IN DAY.

Recklessness and Speeding Are Blamed for Some Fatal Accidents.

Three persons were killed and about twenty-five were injured in automobile accidents in New York and vicinity yesterday. Two of the injured persons are in a critical condition and may die. Most of the accidents were caused by recklessness and speeding, and three arrests on charges of manslaughter and criminal negligence were made.

Mrs. Morris Greenberg of South Bethlehem, Penn., was killed instantly and her husband was mortally injured when their car ran into an embankment near Washington, N. J., while the family of seven persons was on its way to attend a wedding in New York City. Greenberg was speeding his car down a steep grade when he lost control, and the machine was completely demolished when it crashed into a rocky embankment. Five children were injured seriously. A baby 9 months old was thrown twenty feet, but escaped injury. The child had an unbroken milk bottle in its hand when it was picked up.

Sydney K. Opler of 530 East Fifth Street, Brooklyn, was killed instantly when his brother, Arnold, a member of the Naval Reserve, ran into another car at Underhill Avenue and Park Place, Brooklyn. The police reported that the Opler car was traveling at excessive speed. Arnold Opler was held on a charge of criminal negligence for driving a car without a license. Harry Johnston of 561 Eighth Street, Brooklyn, was seriously injured and others in the car received cuts and bruises.

Gerardo Fedesco of 15 Cutler Street, Newark, was killed in a collision with a trolley car at Clifton and Sixth Avenues, Newark. The police reported he was driving his automobile at excessive speed. Other persons in the car were slightly injured by glass.

Mrs. Mary Crepala of 1,404 Avenue A was mortally injured in a collison on the South Field Boulevard, New Dorp, S. I., when Martin Maturn of 1,655 Castleton Avenue, New Dorp, S. I., turned in from a side lane at great speed. Maturn was held on a charge of reckless driving. Surgeons in the St. Vincent's Hospital, West New Brighton, said Mrs. Crepela would die.

Gustav Wonlesphiegel of 850 East Fourteenth Street, Brooklyn, and three other members of his party were painfully injured when an automobile driven at reckless speed by Melville Weingarten of 1,714 Bath Avenue, Brooklyn, demolished their car. Weingarten was held by the police of the Parkville Station on a charge of reckless driving.

Mrs. E. I. Horsman of 157 West Fifty-seventh Street and her sister, Miss Caroline Herrick, are in the Nassau Hospital at Mineola with serious injuries suffered when Mrs. Horsman's car was run down by a train at the Long Island Railroad crossing near Stewart Manor Station, near Camp Mills. Both railroad officials and members of the party charged negligence, as it was said both motorman and shantyman had a clear view of the track. Minor injuries were reported in three other accidents.

Born.

DICK.—Oct. 20, Lying-In Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Dick, a daughter.

FRIEDMAN.—On Oct. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Friedman, 1,015 Beach 3d St., Brooklyn, a son.

KAHN.—Oct. 16, 620 West 140th St., to Mr. and Mrs. M. Kahn, a daughter.

LIPSCHUTZ.—Oct. 18, Jewish Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Lipschutz, a son.

MAYER.—Oct. 19, 295 Edgecombe Av., to Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Mayer, a daughter.

Engaged.

SCHWARTZ—BAUM.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baum announce the engagement of their daughter, Bertha to Mr. Morris David Schwartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schwartz. On Sunday, Oct. 28, reception at 1,226 49th St., Brooklyn.

ABRAMS—NAGEL.—Rose Nagel to Paul Abrams.

BRESSLER—ROTHMAN.—Clyde Rothman to Harold Bressler.

COLE—KLEIN.—Jenale Klein to Edwin Cole.

GEIGER—BAER.—Beulah Baer to Gustave S. Geiger.

GROSSMAN—BUTT.—Helen C. Butt to Abraham M. Grossman.

GROSSMAN—HEYERMAN.—Bertha Heyerman to Henry H. Grossman.

HEINRICH—OCHS.—Florence H. Ochs to Milton Heinrichs.

HUEBSHMAN — ALEXANDER. — Beatrice Alexander to Louis Huebshman.

LEVY—OTTENHEIMER.—Florence S. Ottenheimer to Harry Levy.

MILLER—KLEIN.—Sylvia Klein to William Miller.

RAPAPORT—JANSEN.—Anna Jansen to Benjamin Rappaport.

STEIGERWALT—WOLFE.—Pauline Wolff to Alexander Steigerwalt.

WOLINS—LIPNER.—Gussie Lipner to Jacob Wolins.

Married.

GRANDIN—HOW.—Oct. 17, Robert H. Grandin, M. D., to Josephine Wells How.

FRANK—HANAU.—Oct. 14, Elsie Hanau to Leon Frank.

LOWENBERG—BESTHOFF.—Oct. 14, Betty Besthoff to Emil Lowenberg.

MOULTON—SCHLAMM.—Oct. 20, Jeanette Schlamm to Claude N. Moulton.

Brooklyn.

COKER—ODELL.—Oct. 20, Mae F. Odell to Edward R. Coker.

Died.

BYRNES.—At Monroe, N. Y., Johanna Byrnes, beloved wife of the late John Byrnes. Notice of time later.

CARPENTER.—Suddenly, on Friday, Oct. 19, 1917, Bernard Simpkins Capen, son of the late Frederic W. and Martha L. Capen, in his 48th year. Services will be held at the late home, 37 Franklin St., Bloomfield, on Monday, Oct. 22, at 3:15 P. M.

CLARK.—Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917, Elizabeth Ann, widow of George Clark and daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Cannacke. Funeral services at her late residence, 49 East 73d St., Monday, Oct. 22, at 3 P. M.

COCHRAN.—Thomas Jr., in his 53d year at his home, Mountain Ave., Summit, N. J. Funeral services will be held in the Masonic Temple, Brooklyn, N. Y., corner Lafayette and Clarement Avs., on Monday, Oct. 22, at 3 P. M.

COTHREAL.—In the City of New York, on Oct. 21, entered into life eternal, Sarah France, eldest daughter of the late Henry Lindon and Sarah Hancock Cothreal, in the 73d year of her age. Funeral at the church of the Epiphany, Lexington Av. and 53th St., on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

DEVINE.—Thomas F., beloved husband of Jenny P. Devine, nee Coppersmith, at his residence, 327 West 30th Street. Funeral Tuesday; requiem mass 10 A. M., Holy Trinity Church, West 32d Street.

DOWNS.—On Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917, at the residence of her son-in-law, George W. Stevens, Tuxedo Park, Alice R., widow of Robert A. Downs. Funeral service at the chapel of the Central Presbyterian Church, Madison Av. and 57th St., on Monday evening, Oct. 22, at 8 o'clock.

ELLERSTEIN.—Wolf, suddenly, Oct. 20, Wolf Ellerstein, beloved husband of the late Leah Ellerstein, father of Elias and Samuel and the late Phillip Ellerstein and Annie L. Jacobs. Funeral, 11 East 108th, Monday, 10 A. M. Interment Mount Judah.

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ESTY.—At Brookline, Mass., Oct. 19, Clarence Houghton Esty, aged 63 years. Services from 97 Addington Road, Brookline, Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 2 P. M. Friends invited.

FITCH.—At Bloomfield, N. J., on Oct. 20, 1917, Lavinia B., wife of Lyndon G. Fitch, in her 83d year. Funeral services at her late home, 3 Clarendon Place, on Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 3 P. M.

HALL.—On Friday, Oct. 19, 1917, at his home, 180 West 89th St., Augustus Hitchcock, eldest son of William Henry and Martha M. Hall. Funeral services on Monday, Oct. 22, at Third Avenue Presbyterian Church, 5th Av. and 55th St., at 1:30 P. M.

HARRIS.—Dorothy Z., daughter of Anna Harris, widow of Jacob, sister of Mrs. Wm. Muskat and Betty Harris. Funeral Tuesday morning, Oct. 23, at 10 o'clock, 1,965 Madison Avenue.

KANE.—On Sunday, Oct. 21, 1917, at his late residence, 132, Noble St., Greenpoint, George Vincent, son of the late Charles and Mary A. Kane. Solemn requiem mass at the Church of St. Anthony of Padua, Manhattan Av., Greenpoint, Wednesday, Oct. 24, at 10 A. M.

KENDELL.—On Oct. 21, Harriet Amelia, widow of Edmond S. Kendell, in her 83d year. Funeral services at the Chapel of the Home, Amsterdam Av. and 104th St., Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 11 A. M.

LEVY.—Oct. 20, Theresa, widow of Bernhard and devoted mother of Matilda, Sigismund, Gabriel B. Levy, Rachel Isaacs, and Sophie Lövien. Funeral services at her late residence, 1,627 Broadway, on Monday, Oct. 22, 2:30 P. M. Interment Boston, Mass. Boston papers copy.

LYONS.—On Sunday, Oct. 21, Theresa Lyons, wife of the late Hyman Lyons, in her 69th year. Funeral from her late residence, 1,055 East 14th St., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Oct. 24, at 2 P. M.

McGOWAN.—Suddenly, on Oct. 20, Clarence J. McGowan, in his 60th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 12 Woodbury Av., Richmond Hill, Tuesday evening, Oct. 23, at 8:30 o'clock. Interment private.

MELVIN.—At East Orange, N. J., Oct. 20, 1917, William P. S., beloved husband of Lena Melvin. (nee Hasiet.) Funeral Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 3 o'clock at Our Lady Help of Christians Church.

NORRIS.—At Rockland, Me., Oct. 20, 1917, Henry Dole Norris, husband of Sarah Hewes Norris, in his 73d year. Funeral services at the late residence, 347 West 74th St., New York City, on Tuesday morning, Oct. 23, at 11 o'clock.

NUHN.—On Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917, Fred A., in his 64th year. Relatives, friends, and members of Greenpoint Lodge No. 400, F. & A. M., are invited to attend the funeral services on Tuesday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, at the late residence, 347 Greenwood Av., Richmond Hill, L. I.

POWELL.—Suddenly, at Hackensack, N. J., Oct. 20, 1917, Stephen H., beloved husband of Ida Powell. Funeral services at his late residence, 141 Grand Av., Hackensack, N. J., Monday evening, Oct. 22, at 7:45 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. St. John's Lodge No. 1, Masons, Va., invited to attend. Erie trains leave New York 6:25.

POWELL.—St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. Y. M. Brethren: You are earnestly requested to attend the funeral services of our brother Stephen H. Powell, at his late residence, 141 Grand Avenue, Hackensack, N. J., Monday evening, Oct. 22, at 7:45 o'clock. Erie train 6:25 from foot of Chambers St., N. Y. and N. J. Division station, Fairmont Av.

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ROBINSON.—On Friday, Oct. 19, at Westport, Conn., after a short illness, Sarah Jane Robinson. Services from her late residence, 2,302 Bedford St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2:30 P. M.

ROSS.—Oct. 21, Richard M., son of the late Hugh and Mary Ross. Funeral from his late residence, 611 West 158th St., private.

RUHL.—On Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917, Harry Ruhl, at the residence of her brother, Mr. H. Ruhl, 76 West 83d St., Bayonne, N. J. Notice of funeral hereafter.

RUSSELL.—At Hartford, Conn., on Thursday, Oct. 18, 1917, Talcott Huntington Russell of New Haven, Conn. Funeral service will be held at 3 Temple St., New Haven, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SCHWARTZ.—Clara J., Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917, at her home, 1,280 Madison Av., widow of Jacob Schwartz and beloved mother of Emma Schwartz and beloved sister of Maurice Frank, Herman Frank, and Mrs. Cecelia Hersey. Funeral private, Monday, 10:30 A. M. Please omit flowers.

SILLECK.—Oct. 20, after a short illness, Annie H., wife of Elbert A. Silleck. Services at her late residence, 102 Riverside Drive, Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 10:30 A. M. Interment private at Greenwich, Conn.

SQUIRE.—Lewis Nelson, in his eighteenth year. Services at his late residence, Cold Spring on Hudson, N. Y., Monday, Oct. 22, at 2:30 P. M.

VERNON.—Suddenly, Oct. 19, 1917, Charles W. Vernon, Sr., of 1 Ridgedale Av., Morristown, N. J., in his 76th year. Funeral services will be held at his home on Monday, Oct. 22, at 2 P. M.

WALSH.—Edward Henry, Oct. 20, 1917, in his fifty-fourth year. Funeral services Sunday, Oct. 21, at his late residence, Jefferson Av., Westwood, N. J. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, on Monday.

WILKINS.—Oct. 19, at Holy Family Hospital, Gaston Otey Wilkins, only son of the late Herbert Claiborne Wilkins and Minnie O. Wilkins, in the 26th year of his age. Funeral and interment in Hollywood, Richmond, Va. Washington papers please copy.

WILLIAMS.—At Upper Montclair, N. J., on Sunday, Oct. 21, 1917, Ellen A., wife of Frank E. Williams. Funeral services at her late residence, 9 Norwood Av., on Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 3 o'clock.

Died.

WILSON.—William G. Wilson, at his residence, 378 Park Av., of pneumonia, on Saturday, Oct. 20, 1917. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers. Boston papers please copy.

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THE FINANCIAL SITUATION IN AMERICA AND EUROPE

The stock market completed one phase and started a new one last week, when the severe decline which had been going on almost without interruption for many weeks past came suddenly to a halt after a final burst of weakness. On Monday of last week depression was more pronounced than on any other day since the declaration of war by the United States, yet by Saturday the upward movement was so firmly established in the public mind that traders talked confidently of a long move toward higher levels. It is, of course, too early to say that the liquidation induced by the necessity for readjustment of security holdings to fit the new conditions provided by the War Revenue bill has been completed. In some well-informed quarters it is estimated that the process is about four-fifths finished, and that a secondary period of declining markets should be expected before the real turning point is reached. However that may be, the suddenness of the recovery last week seemed to prove that the decline had progressed too rapidly. Undoubtedly there has been a large amount of selling of both stocks and bonds by wealthy investors and institutions suddenly brought to a realization of the necessities to which they have been put by the new taxation measure of providing unexpectedly large sums for the Treasury Department. Undoubtedly, also, liquidation of this nature was crowded into too short a space of time, with the result that the market was swamped with offerings which might have been absorbed in the usual way at small declines if spread out over more sessions. Aside from any change in the business situation as enforced by new governmental policies, there was ample reason in the new war revenue law for the selling of hundreds of thousands of shares of stock. The accompanying decline in prices was facilitated by short sales on the part of traders who see nothing unmoral in profiting by others' necessities.

The nervous state to which traders have been reduced was shown clearly by the violent break that was brought about in the early part of the week by the suggestion that measures might be taken to close the Stock Exchange. This suggestion had the support of some men who could not be accused of putting the interests of the Stock Exchange above their own, and, strange as it appears now, many investors at once thought it best to prepare for such contingency by dumping their holdings on a falling market while there was yet time. There is little enough that can be said in favor of such an ineffective method for halting declining values. When the world's Exchanges were closed in August, 1914, the New York Stock Exchange followed suit as a matter of self-preservation, since to have kept the market open would have been to invite foreign selling in a volume that could not have been assumed by this country. To close the Exchange now simply because the prices have been carried to record low levels would be to destroy much of the remaining value of securities which could by no means be regarded as good collateral if there were no market in which they could be sold. Left to itself, the market can always be depended upon to bring about its own cure either for inflation or depression by the natural reaction that never fails to take place.

It is not likely that a third Government bond issue will be attempted in 1917, which makes it all the more necessary to bring the second Liberty Loan to a triumphant close this week. In the Treasury certificates of indebtedness and the new war savings certificates, soon to be brought out, the Government has the means of raising all of the sums that will be needed to supplement the proceeds of the current loan for covering the balance of the year's needs. As was the case in the original Liberty Loan, about 95 per cent. of the population of the United States has looked on diffidently while the other 5 per cent. has labored diligently to provide funds which the nation must have to keep the war machine in motion. The task of the various loan committees has been largely educational. The country now appears to be partly awake, and there is every reason to expect that the last six days of the campaign will bring in subscriptions as large as the total for the first three weeks. Foreign visitors who have had experience in placing European war loans have excused the indifference so prevalent in the United States on the ground that no country is awake to the meaning of war until it has a casualty list. The first real disaster was reported Friday in the sinking of a homeward bound transport, and, although the loss of life was fortunately but a fraction of what it might easily have been had the submarine attack succeeded while the vessel was outward bound, it was great enough to shock the country into a partial realization of how trifling a sacrifice is asked in the purchase of 4 per cent. Government bonds to lessen the blood payment that war demands.

If allowed to go long enough, the railway situation must have automatically brought action from the Interstate Commerce Commission looking to the restoration of net earnings. Nevertheless, it was much better that the executives should have brought their case again before the commission without waiting for all of the dire consequences indicated by perfectly plain tendencies to be made good. The receptive mood shown by the commission indicates that the application was more than welcome. The Eastern roads will present their appeal at an informal conference on Wednesday of this week, and the Western lines are considering similar action. In eight months of the calendar year the Eastern roads have lost nearly $40,000,000 in net operating revenue, as compared with the corresponding period of last year. This trend is expected to influence the commission to reopen the 15 per cent. rate case in order to allow the relief that was promised if the partial allowances made on June 27 proved to be insufficient.

LONDON MARKET CHEERFUL.

Stocks Little Influenced by German Successes in Baltic.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Stocks were little influenced last week by the German successes in the Baltic. There was no abatement of confidence in the ultimate issue of the war, and sentiment was cheerful. Dealings in the 5 per cent. war loan was rather smaller, but the quotation improved to 95¾ before a slight reduction to 95¾.

Stock transferable by deed marked ex dividend Tuesday caused some confusion because it was possible to sell inscribed stock containing the dividend and to replace it with deed stock ex dividend at 2½ points lower, thus escaping the tax on the dividend. This straddle was attempted by some members of the Exchange, and dealers thereupon refused to sell deed stock. Other high-grade investments exhibited a firm tone, but foreign bonds were uncertain, with Russians showing some heaviness.

Shares of the Magadi Soda Company, owning big deposits in British East Africa, were strongly supported. The company is now in a position to market its production. Shares in the coal companies were also actively bought, but there was further contraction of dealings in rubber shares.

Anglo-Dutch dealings recovered from the effects of differences between this country and Holland, speculative purchases still embracing numerous mining shares. The very encouraging report from the New Modderfontein Company directed renewed attention to the Eastern Rand group.

Operations in Rhodesians were purely gambling, and the issue was reactionary, but there was a big rise in shares to upward of £4 for reasons undisclosed. Broken Hills improved its position by the definite settlement of the strike, but Silver Counters were uncertain in consequence of continued metal sales.

The sale of war bonds for the first eleven days up to Oct. 13 amounted to nearly £40,000,000 among 20,816 applicants, which is considered satisfactory.

Trade returns show imports of £86,300,000; in contrast to £100,567,000 in August and £77,440,000 in September of last year. Exports reached £40,403,000, against £54,837,000 in August, and £30,598,000 in September of last year.

Unemployment in the trade unions at the end of last month was 12 in 1,000, as against 5 in 1,000 in August. This rise is due to slackness in the Lancashire cotton industry.

PROFIT-TAKING ON BOURSE.

Political Dissension and Russian Crisis Felt in Paris.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—Internal political dissensions, coupled with the Russian crisis, caused certain irregularities on the Bourse last week, with further profit-taking in speculative stocks. The tone of the market was, nevertheless, sound at bottom except in the Russian group, where sympathy weakened and there was continued depreciation of the ruble.

Rubbers continued active, Pedans gaining 20 and Financiere 22 francs on the week. There were also big rises in certain market favorites, Marine Steel Works, for instance, rising 300 francs and Liquid Air 135 francs in a single session. Dietrich Motors spurted on reports of increased earnings and the successful construction of a new type of airplane motor.

French banks were active at higher markings after a long spell of neglect and the War Loan and Rentes were firm. Profit-taking was confined mainly to sections of the market which recently had been pushed disproportionately high, and the market will be sounder in consequence. Westinghouse Airbrake is issuing 10,000 ten-year 6 per cent. bonds at 487 francs 50 centimes, free of taxes now and in the future.

State-manufactured boots are now on sale and the Government has required all factories engaged in the manufacture of footwear to make declarations of their existing stocks of leather. The allied Governments have announced their decision further to tighten the commercial blockade against the enemy. By Government order the loading of ships at French ports is continued day and night by relays of labor receiving supplementary pay for the overtime. The object is to keep down congestion of freight.

Gold holdings by the Bank of France total 3,287,401,489 francs. War advances amount to 150,000,000 francs, and foreign advances increased by 10,000,000 francs.

TO STOP CANCELLATIONS.

Wholesale Men's Furnishings Association Is to Try It.

A movement to eliminate excessive and needless loss in the men's furnishings trade has been started by the Board of Directors of the Wholesale Men's Furnishings Association, which has adopted a resolution to stop the cancellation of orders and return of merchandise by retailers. Hereafter, no cancellations will be permitted after the manufacture of the goods ordered has been begun, and no returned merchandise will be accepted unless the consent of the wholesaler has first been obtained.

In the discussion that preceded the passing of the resolution it was pointed out that the movement would benefit not only the manufacturers but also retailers who have not indulged in these practices in the past. These retailers, it was said, have had to meet the competition of other dealers who have not hesitated to shift the burden of their mistakes to the shoulders of the wholesalers. As a step toward curbing unnecessary waste in business the proposed plan is in line with the wartime policy of the national administration.

It is a matter of common knowledge in the trade that manufacturers have been subjected to considerable loss through the cancellation of orders for special goods, made to meet the particular requirements of a certain retailer and usually bearing his imprint or label. After work has been begun on such orders, cancellations entail a loss estimated at 50 per cent., and the loss is the same if the goods are returned after shipment. Under the new plan, unless reasons considered valid by the seller are advanced, the goods will be completed and shipped as ordered, and payment will be insisted upon at the regular date of maturity.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

WEEK ENDED OCT. 20, 1917.

	Last Week.	Year to Date.
Total sales	4,863,216	151,382,929
Same period a year ago	6,804,677	159,622,168

	Last Week. High.	Last Week. Low.	Year to Date. High.	Year to Date. Low.
Average price 50 stocks	71.13	66.92	89.30	66.92
Same period a year ago	96.15	92.81	97.39	80.91

Sales.	COMPANY.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
200	ADVANCE RUMELY	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
100	Advance Rumely pf	23½	23½	23½	+ 1¼
500	Ajax Rubber	6½	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
3,200	Alaska Gold Mines	4	3¾	4	—
2,800	Alaska Juneau	3⅝	3⅞	3½	+ ⅜
6,400	Allis-Chalmers Mfg	23½	18½	22⅜	+ 2⅞
1,200	Allis-Chalm. Mfg. pf	75½	74	76	— 2
800	Am. Agricul. Chem	81	76½	79	— 2
10,600	Am. Beet Sugar	75½	69¾	75¾	+ ⅜
10	Am. Brake S. & Fdy	172	172	172	—
44,600	Am. Can	42⅞	37½	42¼	+ 1⅜
1,100	Am. Can. pf	97⅛	94½	95⅞	+ 2⅜
11,100	Am. Car & Fdy	69	62½	68¾	+ 3¾
400	Am. Car. & Fdy. pf	108	107½	107½	— ½
2,100	Am. Cotton Oil	30½	29	30	—
100	Am. Express	88¾	88¼	88¼	— 1½
2,000	Am. Hide & Leather	12	10	12	+ 1
3,400	Am. Hide & L. pf	53½	48⅞	52⅜	+ 1⅝
300	Am. Ice	11	11	11	— ⅜
400	Am. Ice pf	45	43½	44	— 2
5,500	Am. International	53¼	52	53⅝	+ 1
12,600	Am. Linseed	60⅝	55⅞	60¼	+ 3½
2,000	Am. Linseed pf	60⅜	52	59¼	+ 4⅜
19,300	Am. Locomotive	90	97	97	— 3
700	Am. Locomotive pf	16	12	15¾	+ 2
5,200	Am. Malting	65	61	62½	+ ¾
3,200	Am. Malting 1st pf	84	83¼	88½	+ 1
58,900	Am. Smelt. & Ref	104⅞	102	104⅞	+ ½
1,000	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf	95¼	92¾	92¾	— 3½
500	Am. Smelt. Sec. pf. A	100	100	100	—
100	Am. Snuff	98	98	98	—
200	Am. Snuff pf., new	43½	41	43½	+ 1¼
5,500	Am. Steel Fdys	57½	53¼	57¼	+ 2⅝
6,900	Am. Sugar Ref	107	103	106⅝	+ 2⅞
29,700	Am. Sumatra Tobacco	61¼	51	59⅝	+ 3⅛
300	Am. Sumatra Tob. pf	80	80	80	—18
110	Am. Tel. & Cable	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	—
1,150	Am. Tel. & Tel	115⅞	113⅝	115½	+ ⅛
2,700	Am. Tobacco	180	176¼	180	+ 1¾
300	Am. Tob. pf., new	98½	98	98	— ⅛
4,700	Am. Woolen	43⅞	41	43⅜	+ 1¼
200	Am. Woolen pf	93¾	93	93½	+ ¾
400	Am. Writing P. pf	27	25	26⅝	+ 3¼
2,300	Am. Zinc, L. & S	15¼	14	15⅛	+ ½
1,200	Am. Zinc, L. & S. pf	50¼	47¼	49½	— 1½
118,500	Anaconda Copper	67⅞	61⅜	*64⅝	+ 2½
200	Assets Realization	1⅛	1	1	—
300	Associated Oil	58	57	58	+ ⅛
10,000	Atch., Top. & S. F	94½	92	94½	+ ¾
1,550	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf	92⅜	90¾	90¾	— 1
300	Atlanta, Birm. & At	11½	11¼	11¼	— ⅜
900	Atlantic Coast Line	105	100¼	103	— 2
42,300	Atl., Gulf & W. I	107	92	103½	+ 6
1,400	Atl., Gulf & W. I. pf	60½	59	59	— 1
64,600	BALDWIN LOCO	61⅜	49⅝	61⅛	+ 6⅝
400	Baldwin Loco. pf	96¼	95¾	96¼	— ⅛
18,100	Baltimore & Ohio	58	54⅜	58	+ 2¼
1,200	Baltimore & Ohio pf	62	60	61¾	— ¾
600	Barrett Co	93	92¾	93	—
200	Barrett Co. pf	102	100¼	102	+ 2
1,800	Batopilas Mining	1¼	1¼	1¼	+ ⅛
5,200	Beth. Steel	89	70¼	88	+ 10
504,200	Beth. S., Class B. t. c.	87⅜	60¼	86	+ 9¼
700	Beth. Steel pf	93	90	93	+ 9
38,500	Beth. Steel pf., subscrts. f. p	101¾	94	100⅜	+ 5⅜
3,400	Brooklyn Rap. Tran	58	56¼	57	— ⅛
600	Brooklyn Union Gas	93	90	91	— 2
600	Bruns. Ter. & Ry. Sec	7	6⅞	7	— ⅛
1,600	Burns Brothers	100¼	95	100¼	+ 4⅝
5,500	Butte & Superior	20¼	17¼	19½	— 1
1,200	CAL. PACKING	37½	36½	37	— ¼
4,800	Cal. Petroleum	14⅜	11⅞	14⅛	+ ⅛
1,900	Cal. Petroleum pf	39¾	38	39½	—
900	Calumet & Arizona	67	65	67	—
25,200	Canadian Pacific	151	146⅜	150⅝	+ 2¼
900	Central Foundry	30¼	27	30	+ 2
100	Central Foundry pf	44	44	44	—
72,000	Central Leather Co	78⅝	70⅝	77⅛	+ 2¼
800	Central Leather Co. pf	108	101	102	— 1
10	Cent. & So. Am. Tel	113	113	113	—
4,620	Cerro de Pasco	73	69¼	73	— ⅛
3,645	Chandler Motor	53	49½	52	— 1⅝
15,100	Chesapeake & Ohio	10	8¾	9⅛	+ 1⅛
1,100	Chi. & Alton	400	Chi. & East'n Illinois pf. eq. t. r	4¼	4	4¼	— ⅛
3,550	Chi. Gt. Western	8⅝	7½	8⅛	— ⅛
2,400	Chi. Gt. Western pf	23½	21	23½	+ 1⅞
40,900	Chi., Mil. & St. P	49½	45¾	49½	+ 2¼
2,700	Chi., Mil. & St. P. pf	95¾	86½	92¾	+ 3¾
5,500	Chi. & Northwestern	103	98	148	+ 3¼
400	Chi. & Northwest'n pf	145	140¾	145	— ¾
31,030	Chi., R. I. & Pac. t. c	24¼	19⅝	22⅞	— ⅜
5,300	Chi., R. I. & P. 7 p. c. pf. t. c	50¾	55	58½	— ⅜
7,300	Chi., R. I. & P. 6 p. c. pf. t. c	50¾	47	49½	— ½
463	Chi., St. P. M. & O	82	82	82	—15¾
17,700	Chile Copper	16½	14⅜	16½	+ ⅜
14,300	Chino Copper	45	41¾	44½	—
300	Clev., C., C. & St. L	30	30	30	— 2
100	Cliett, Peabody pf	101¾	101¾	101¾	— 6¼
10,400	Col. Fuel & Iron	40	34⅝	40	+ 1½
300	Col. Southern	23¾	23	23	—
100	Col. Southern 1st pf	46	46	46	— 4
13,100	Columbia Gas & Elec	35	31½	35	+ ½
16,400	Consolidated Gas	95¾	87⅞	91⅝	— 4¾
300	Consol. Interstate Cal. Mining	12	12	12	—
1,000	Continental Can	94½	92	94	—
47,600	Corn Products Ref	30⅝	25½	30¼	+ 2
4,150	Corn Products Ref. pf	91	80	91	+ 1⅜
129,800	Crucible Steel	69½	61¾	68⅝	+ 3
1,100	Crucible Steel pf	91½	90	90½	— 1½
19,400	Cuba Cane Sugar	30	25¾	30	+ 3
2,100	Cuba Cane Sugar pf	80½	78	80	—
300	Cuban-Am. Sugar	160	145	160	+20
100	Cuban-Am. Sugar pf	93½	93½	93½	— 6½
350	DEERE & CO. pf	89½	90	89½	+ ½
6,200	Del. & Hudson	102¼	97¾	102¼	+ 4⅜
500	Del., Lack. & West'n	195¼	195	195	+ 1
400	Den. & Rio Grande pf	14½	14¼	14¼	+ ⅛
164,800	Distillers Securities	41⅜	31¾	39⅝	+ 6
4,020	Dome Mines	8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
100	Duluth, S. S. & At	5½	5½	5½	—
100	Duluth, S. S. & At. pf	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ¼
575	ELK HORN COAL	24	22	24	— 1
24,300	Erie	19⅝	17⅜	19½	+ ½
4,650	Erie 1st pf	28¾	25	28	—
1,900	Erie 2d pf	22	20	22	+ ⅝
400	FED. MINING & S	13	14⅜	15	— 7
400	Fed. Min. & Smelt. pf	39	38½	39	—
60	Fisher Body pf	84	84	84	—
2,400	GASTON, WM. & W	35	31	35	+ 1⅜
800	General Chemical	191	190	190	— 8
7,400	General Electric	140	134½	138⅝	+ 1⅜
61,200	General Motors	97¾	89¼	*96⅜	+ 3½
2,400	General Motors pf	78	74½	*78	+ 2½
2,400	Goodrich (B. F.) Co	42¾	41	42¾	+ ¼
100	Goodrich pf	100¼	100¼	100¼	+ ⅛
3,500	Granby Consol	76¼	71	73⅞	— 1½
3,900	Gt. Northern pf	101	95¼	100⅝	— 1¼
26,100	Gt. Northern Certs. for Ore Properties	29⅜	28¼	28⅝	— ⅛
2,700	Greene-Cananea Cop	39	34⅛	38½	— ⅛
100	Gulf, Mob. & Nor	12	12	12	— ⅜
1,100	Gulf States Steel	90¾	90	90¾	+ ¼
1,200	HASKELL & BARKER	32	31	32	— ⅛
100	Homestake Mining	102	102	102	— ¾
4,500	ILLINOIS CENTRAL	100¾	97¾	100	+ ¼
49,300	Inspiration Copper	48	42⅜	46¾	+ 2⅜
1,300	Interboro Con	9¾	8	8	— ⅛
5,600	Interboro Con. pf	51	48	50⅝	+ 1⅜
300	Inter Agricultural	12⅝	12	12	—
2,800	Inter. Agricultural pf	41	37½	39½	— 1½
1,500	Inter. Harv., N. J	107	103¾	106¾	— ⅛
300	Inter. Harv. Corp	65¾	64	65¾	— ⅞
100	Inter. Harv. Corp. pf	103	103	103	—
63,900	Inter. Mer. Marine	21⅝	21⅛	21⅞	+ 1⅛
122,800	Inter. Mer. Marine pf	90¾	78¾	89⅞	+ 4¾
82,600	Inter. Nickel	28	23¾	27¼	+ 1
200	Inter. Nickel pf	98	98	98	—
6,200	Inter. Paper	23⅞	20¾	23¾	+ 2⅜
3,400	Inter. Paper pf. sta	57	51	57	+ 4¾

Sales.	COMPANY.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
100	JEWEL TEA	39⅞	39½	39½	— ⅛
2,500	KAN. CITY SO	17¾	16⅞	17¾	+ ⅜
900	Kan. City South'n pf	52	49¾	52	+ 1⅜
4,000	Kelly Springfield Tire	43⅝	40¾	43¼	+ 1¼
100	Kelly Spring Tire pf	85	85	85	— 3
100	Kelsey Wheel pf	80	80	80	— 1
54,900	Kennecott Copper	35	31¾	34⅝	+ ⅞
100	Kress (S. H.) pf	104	104	104	—
15,500	LACK. STEEL	83½	75	82¾	+ 4¾
100	Lake Erie & Western	13	13	13	+ 1
200	Lake Erie & West. pf	23½	22	22	— 1
900	Lee Rubber & Tire	16¾	15½	16	—12
5,300	Lehigh Valley	59¾	57	59¾	+ 1⅝
200	Liggett & Myers	180	179½	179½	— 6½
1,450	Liggett & Myers pf	103¾	102	103	+ ¾
1,600	Louis. & Nash	119	117	119	+ 2
1,000	MACKAY COS	75½	74½	75	— ½
150	Mackay Cos. pf	60	60	60	— 2
870	Manhattan Elevated	107¾	105	105	— 3½
2,750	Maxwell Motors	32⅞	31	32	+ 1½
900	Maxwell Motors 1st pf	85¼	82¾	83⅝	— 2⅝
400	Maxwell Motors 2d pf	20	17⅞	20	+ 3
200	May Dept. Stores pf	101¼	101	101½	— 3½
58,800	Mexican Petroleum	89	80½	87	— 2
300	Mexican Petroleum pf	91	90	91	—
13,500	Miami Copper	31⅜	29¼	31⅜	+ ¼
47,500	Midvale Steel	47¼	42¾	*47¼	+ 4
1,200	Minn. & St. L. new	12¾	12	12	+ 1
1,635	M., St. P. & S. S. M	95	90	95	+ 1
2,300	Mo., Kan. & Texas	5⅞	4⅝	5½	+ 1
600	Mo., Kan. & Tex. pf	9¼	7¾	9¼	+ 1
30,510	Mo. Pacific tr. cfs	25⅝	20⅛	23	— ⅜
1,900	Mo. Pacific pf	50¾	46	49¼	— ⅝
1,000	Montana Power	76	70	75	+ 4½
20	Morris & Essex	77	75	75	—
2,800	NAT. ACME	30½	29⅞	30⅜	+ ¼
1,200	Nat. Biscuit Co	100	97	97¾	— 2¼
100	Nat. Cloak & Suit	65	65	65	— 3
12,400	Nat. Conduit & Cable	24¾	21¼	24½	+ 2
9,700	Nat. Enam. & Stamp	44⅜	39	44⅜	+ 3⅝
100	Nat. Enam. & S. pf	94	94	94	— 7⅝
1,800	Nat. Lead	47¼	44	47	— 1
100	Nat. Lead pf	100	100	100	— 1⅝
200	Nat. Rys. of M. 2d pf	6¾	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛
9,500	Nevada Con. Cop	18⅝	16¾	18⅝	+ ⅝
200	New Orl., Tex. & Mex	22	22	22	+ 2½
1,500	New York Air Brake	123	112	123	+ 6
20,080	New York Central	74	70¼	74	+ 3
200	New York Dock	16	15	15	— 1½
8,900	New York, N. H. & H	29	25⅝	28½	+ 2
3,000	New York, Ont. & W	21	19⅝	20¾	— ⅛
11,200	Norfolk & Western	107½	103¾	107	+ 2
500	North American	50	48½	50	+ 1
9,700	Northern Pacific	97	94¼	97	— ¾
800	Nova Scotia S. & C	80	78½	80	— 6
65,500	OHIO CITIES GAS	40⅝	36¾	40½	+ 1⅞
100	Ohio Fuel Supply	45	45	45	+ ¾
1,200	Ontario Mining	5¼	4⅞	5¼	+ ⅛
1,000	Owens Bottle Mach	80½	80	80½	+ ½
1,600	PACIFIC MAIL	25½	24¼	25⅜	+ 1
100	Pacific Tel. & Tel	20	20	20	+ 1½
23,000	Pennsylvania R. R	51	49⅞	50⅜	+ ½
9,100	People's Gas, Chicago	46⅞	40	40½	— 6½
2,300	Pere Marquette	17	15½	16⅜	
1,200	Philadelphia Co	31½	30⅜	31½	+ 1
200	Pierce-Arrow	34	32	32	— 2⅜
100	Pierce-Arrow pf	93½	93½	93½	— 1½
150	Pitts., C., C. & St. L	69½	69½	69½	— ¾
3,500	Pitts. Coal	47½	43	47½	
2,000	Pitts. Coal pf	83	80¾	83	— ½
170	Pitts. Steel pf	97	97	97	— ½
6,200	Pitts. & West Va	29¾	25¼	28	+ 2¼
1,400	Pitts. & West Va. pf	57	55½	57	+ 1½
4,800	Pressed Steel Car	58	52½	58	+ 5
400	Pressed Steel Car pf	98½	98¼	98¼	— 1
100	Public Service, N. J	113	113	113	
1,700	Pullman Co	140½	135½	140½	+ 4½
200	QUICKSILVER pf	1¾	1½	1½	
3,500	RY. STEEL SPRING	42¾	37½	42¾	+ 1¾
900	Ry. Steel Spring pf	97½	95½	95¾	— 1⅜
20,100	Ray Consol. Copper	23¾	21⅝	23⅝	+ ⅝
88,450	Reading	77¼	70¾	76⅞	+ ¾
300	Reading 1st pf	38⅛	35	38¾	+ ¾
800	Reading 2d pf	37	35	37	+ 1½
57,800	Republic Iron & Steel	84¾	71	*80⅝	+ 7
2,800	Republic Iron & S. pf	99	96	98	+ 1⅞
4,200	Royal Dutch, t. r	67½	64½	66½	— ⅜
6,900	ST. L.-SAN FRAN	17½	15⅝	17½	+ 1½
20,900	Texas Co	149½	137¾	149	+ 7
200	Texas & Pacific	12¾	12¾	12¾	— 2½
800	Third Avenue	20	19	19¾	— 1⅛
70,100	Tobacco Products	55½	47	50	
400	Tobacco Products pf	96¾	90	93¾	— 3½
600	Transue & Williams	40	38¾	40	+ ½
500	UNDERWOOD TYPE	96	94	94	— 1
400	Union Bag & P., new	67¼	64¼	64¼	— 1⅝
47,600	Union Pacific	124½	120¼	124	+ ½
1,515	Union Pacific pf	77	75½	75½	— 2
4,000	United Alloy Steel	41¾	39½	41¼	+ 1½
35,527	United Cigar Stores	93⅝	90	93⅝	+ 1½
400	United Drug	69½	67½	68	—
100	United Drug 1st pf	90	90	90	—
2,700	United Fruit	126	120	125	+ 1
300	United Paperboard	20¼	20	20	— 2
1,000	United Rys. Invest	8½	7	7¼	— ½
1,500	United Rys. Inv. pf	16½	13½	16¼	+ ½
3,200	U. S. Cast I. P. & F	14	12¾	14	—
300	U. S. C. I. P. & F. pf	50¼	50	50	—
19,900	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	135⅞	114¼	*117⅝	+ 7
100	U. S. Ind. Alcohol pf	98½	96½	96½	+ 1½
100	U. S. Realty & Imp	11	11	11	—
14,000	U. S. Rubber	59¾	55⅝	59⅜	+ 1⅝
2,400	U. S. Rubber 1st pf	101	97¼	*101	+ 1
2,900	U. S. Smelt., Ref. & M	54	49⅛	53½	— ½
1,299,750	U. S. Steel	107	90¼	106⅝	+ 3⅞
7,110	U. S. Steel pf	115⅝	111½	115⅝	+ 1½
153,400	Utah Copper	84⅞	77¾	83	+ 1½
600	Utah Securities	15¼	15	15¼	+ ⅛
2,900	VA.-CARO. CHEM	32¾	29¾	*32	+ ⅜
300	Va. Iron, Coal & Coke	55	55	55	— 1½
200	Vulcan Detinning	7	7	7	— 1½
100	Vulcan Detinning pf	23½	23½	23½	— ⅜
3,800	WABASH	9¼	8¾	8⅝	— ⅜
23,550	Wabash pf. A	46

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BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

WEEK ENDED OCT. 20, 1917.

	Last Week.	Year to Date.
Total sales	$30,214,000	$791,291,450
Same period last year	38,707,500	882,287,050

	Last Week. High.	Last Week. Low.	Year to Date. High.	Year to Date. Low.
Average price 40 bonds	79.61	79.46	86.39	79.46
Average price a year ago	88.33	88.10	88.33	86.19

	High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.
ADAMS EXP. 4s	67	66	66	1
Alb. & Susq. 3½s	79¾	79¾	79¾	3
Am. Ag. C. deb. 5s	83¼	83	83¼	12
Am. Ag. Chem. cv. 5s	95¾	95½	95¾	9
Am. Dock & I. 5s	100	100	100	3
Am. H. & L. 6s	99½	99½	99½	2
Am. Sm. & R. 1st 5s	89¾	89	89	56
Am. T. & T. col. 4s	85¾	85	85	17
Am. T. & T. cv. 4½s	97	97	97	2
Am. T. & T. coll. tr. 4s	98¼	98¼	98¼	137¼
Am. Thread 4s	67¾	66¾	66¾	6
Am. Writ. Paper 5s	83½	83	83	9
Ann Arbor 4s	58	57	58	3
Armour & Co. 4½s	89½	89	89¼	15
A.-T. & S. F. gen. 4s	86¾	85¾	86	38
A.-T. & S.F. cv. 4s, 1955	94	93¾	94	10
A. & C. A. L. 1st 5s, B	90¼	85¾	93¾	6
At. C. L. 1st 4s	89½	89	89½	3
BALDWIN LOCO. 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼	1
Balt. & O. p. l. 3½s	90½	90	90	23½
Balt. & O. gold 4s	81¼	81	81	2½
Balt. & O. ref. 5s	90	89	89	18
Balt. & O. conv. 4½s	82¾	82¾	82¾	85½
B. & O. P. L. & W. V. 4s	78	78	78	2
B. & O., S. W. Div. 3½s	85	84	84	5
B. & O., S. W. D. 5½s, reg.	81½	81½	81½	1
Beth. Steel ext. 5s	98¾	98¾	98¾	4
Braden Copper 6s	93½	93	93	19
B. R. T. 5s, 1918	97¾	96¾	97	58
Bklyn U. El. 1st 5s	92	92	92	1
Bklyn U. El. 5s, sta.	92¾	92¼	92¼	5
Bklyn Union Gas 5s	97¼	97¼	97¼	1
Buf. R. & P. gen. 5s	101¼	101¼	101¼	1
CAL. GAS & EL. 5s	92¾	92¾	92¾	2
Carolina Central 4s	90	90	90	1
Cent. of Ga. 1st 5s	101¼	101¼	101¼	4
Central Leather 5s	97½	94¾	94¾	40
Central Pacific 4s	80¾	80	80¾	26
Central Pac. gtd. 3½s	85	85	85	2
Cent. of N. J. gen. 5s	106¾	106¾	106¾	2
Cent. of N. Y. 8s, reg.	106¾	106¾	106¾	6
Cerro de Pasco cv. 8s	104¾	103¼	104¾	39
Ches. & O. gen. 4½s	78¾	77	78	4
Ches. & O. conv. 5s	81¾	79¾	79¾	186
Ches. & O. conv. 6s	100	99	99¾	15
Ches. & O. conv. 4½s	78	78¾	78¾	83
C. & O., R. & A. 2d cons. 4s	71	71	71	1
Chi. & Alton 3½s	40	39	39	2
C., R. & Q., Dub. 4s	100	100	100	1
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	94½	93¾	93¾	100
C., B. & Q. jt. 4s, reg.	94½	94½	94½	10
C., B. & Q. gen. 4s	84¾	84¾	84¾	27
C., B. & Q., Neb. ex. 4s	92	92	92	2
C., B. & Q., Ill. Div. 3½s	77	77	77	10
C., B. & Q., Ia. Div. 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼	1
Chi. & E. Ill. con. 6s	100	100	100	1
Chi. Gt. W. ext. 4s	62	62	62¼	12
C., M. & St. P. gen. 4s, Ser. A	78½	78¼	78¾	1
C., M. & St. P., reg. 4s	79½	79	79	11
C., M. & St. P. ref. 4½s	77¾	77¾	77¾	90
C., M. & St. P. cv. 4½s	80	78	78¾	84½
C., M. & St. P. cv. 5s	85	84	84¼	41½
C., M. & St. P. 5s, reg.	82	82	82	1
C., M. & St. P., C., P. & W. 5s	90	90	90	2
Chi. Rys. 5s	88½	88¼	88¾	2
C., R. I. & P. gen. 4s	77¾	77	77	23
C., R. I. & P. ref. 4s	87	86¼	87	93
C., R. I. & P. col. 4s	97¾	97¾	97¾	1
C., St. P., M. & O. deb. 5s	95¾	95¾	95¾	2
Chi. & W. I. con. 4s	65¾	65¾	65¾	2
Chile Copper 7s	105	102	104¼	159½
Chile C. 6s, res. pf. p.	82¾	82¾	82¾	40
C. C. C. & St. L. gen. 4s	63	62¾	62¾	11
Col. Industrial 5s	75½	75	75½	5
Colo. Midland 4s	5½	5½	5½	5
Col. & South. 1st 4s	81¾	81	81	9
Col. & So. ref. 4½s	76¾	76¾	76¾	5
Colum. Gas & El. 5s	97	97	97	1
Con. Gas cv. 6s	102½	101	101¼	480
Corn. P. Ref. s. f. 5s, 1931	97¾	97¾	97¾	3
Cuban-Am. S. 1st & ref.	100¾	100	100¾	10
Cumberland Tel. 5s	96	96	96	2
D. & H. 1st & ref. 4s	86¼	85½	86¼	13
Del. & Hud. cv. 5s	93¾	93	93¾	5
D. & Rio G. con. 4s	69¾	67½	67¾	54
D. & RIO. 1st & ref. 5s	54	53¾	54	18
Det. Edis. col. tr. 5s	90	90	90	1
Det. Edis. ref. 5s	96	96	96	1
Det. United Ry. 4½s	75	75	75	6
Distillers' Sec. 5s	73¼	72½	73¾	80
ED. EL. of B. con. 4s	76	76	76	1
Erie gen. 4s	53½	52¾	53¾	42
Erie consol. 4s	78¾	78½	78¾	2
Erie cv. 4s, Ser. A	46¼	46	46	3
Erie cv. 4s, Ser. B	46¼	45	45¾	79
Erie cv. 4s, Ser. D	54	53½	54	29
GEN. ELEC. deb. 5s	101¼	99¾	99¾	20
Granby cv. 6s, Ser. A	100	100	100	4
Gt. Falls Power 5s	91½	91½	91¾	1
Gt. North. ref. 4½s	80	80¾	80	28
HOCKING VAL. 4½s	81	81	81	1
Hud. & Man. ref. 5s	52¾	54½	54½	15
Hud. & Man. adj. 5s	13¾	13½	13½	3
ILL. CENT. 4s, 1953	76	76	76	2
Ill. Cent. 4s, 1953	75	75	75	2
Ill. Cent. M. & L. & N. O. 5s	88	92¾	92¾	2
Ill. Cent. ref. 4s	81	78½	80	13
Ill. Steel 4½s	94	94	94	9
Indiana Steel 5s	93½	97½	97¾	9
Int.-Met. 4½s	59½	56¾	57	47
Int. Rap. Tran. 5s	85¾	84¾	84¾	113
Int. Agricult. 5s	72¾	71¾	71¾	12
Int. M. M. s. f. 6s	89¾	89	89	85
Int.-Paper conv. 5s	90	90	90	2
Int. Paper 5s	100	100	100	29
Iowa Cent. ref. 4s	45	43	43	1
KAN. CITY SO. 5s	61	61	61	4
Kan. City So. 3s	30	29¾	30	4
LACK. STEEL 5s	90	92	93	41
Lack. Steel 5s, '23	95¾	97¼	97½	21
Laclede Gas 1st 5s	89¾	90	90¼	10
Lake Shore 4s, 1928	80	85½	85½	16
Lake Shore 4s, 1931	88¾	88¼	88¼	11
Leh. Val. Term. 5s	100¾	100¼	100¼	8
Lex. & East. 1st 5s	94½	94½	94½	1
Liggett & Myers 5s	94½	94½	94½	5
Long Island ref. 4s	79½	79½	79½	1
Long Isl. temp. deb. 6s	78¾	78¾	78¾	1
Lorillard 7s	114	114	114	1
Lorillard 5s	94¾	94¾	94¾	42
L. & N. unif. 4s	85¾	85¼	85¾	8
L. & N., St. L. div. 6s	100¾	100¾	100¾	1
L. & N., A. & K. & G. 4s	53	53	53	1
L. & N., N. F. & S. 4s	88¼	88¼	88¼	4
MAN. con. 4s, tax ex.	82	82	82	1
Mex. Pet. cv. 6s, Ser. A	105	104½	104½	1
Mex. Pet. cv. 6s, Ser. C	104½	104¼	104¼	1
Midvale Steel 5s	89¾	88	88	20
M. & St. L. 1st & ref. 4s	45	44¼	44¼	15
Mil. El. Ry. & L. 5s	88	88	88	3
Mil. L. S. & W. ext. 5s	97¼	97¼	97¼	2
Mo., K. & T. 1st 5s	42	42	42	85
Mo., K. & T. 1st 4s	62	62	62	2
Mo., K. & T. 2d 4s	37	37	37	2
Mo., K. & T. ext. 5s	87¾	87¾	87¾	1
Mo. Pac. & T. 1st 5s	60	58	58	1
Mo. Pacific con. 5s	101	101	101	7
Mo. Pac. 5s, 1926	90¼	90¼	90¼	1
Mo. Pac. 5s, 1926	89¾	89¾	89¾	17
Mo. Pac. gen. 4s	55¾	55¾	55¾	1,097
Montana Power 5s	91¾	91	91¾	13
NAT. STARCH deb. 6s	90	90	90	1
Nat. Tube 5s	99¼	98½	98½	1
N. Y. Cent. deb. 6s	97¾	97	97¼	248
N. Y. C. deb. 6s, reg.	99¾	96¼	99¾	3
N. Y. C. deb. 4s, '31	81	80	80	20
N. Y. Cent. gen. 3½s	75½	74¾	74¾	16
N. Y. ref. ref. 4½s	89¾	89	89¾	1
N. Y. C. & St. L. 1st 4s	84½	84½	84½	11
N. Y. G., E. L., H. & P. 5s	58	58	58	1
N. Y. G., E. L., H. & P. 4s	73¾	73¾	73¾	1
N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 4s	83	82	82	1
N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 3½s, '47	59	59	59	2
N. Y., O. & W. ref. 4s	67	66¾	66¾	11
N. Y. Rys. ref. 4s	53	51½	52	18
N. Y. Rys. adj. 5s	22¾	21	21½	27
N. Y. Telephone 4½s	93	90¾	92	34
N. Y., W. & B. 4½s	42¾	42	42¾	9
Niagara Falls P. 5s	97	97	97	1
Nor. & W. div. 4s	78½	78½	78½	1
Nor. & W. con. 4s	80¾	80¾	80¾	1
Northern Pacific 4s	84¾	84¾	84¾	46
Nor. Pacific 4s, reg.	83	83	83	1
Northern Pacific 3s	61½	60	61	63
North. St. Power 5s	88	87½	87¾	12
OHIO RIVER 1st 5s	99½	99¾	99¾	15
Ore. Sh. Line ref. 4s	87	86	86	1
Ore. Sh. Line 6s	104	104	104	4
PAC. GAS & EL. 5s	83	82¾	83	21
Pac. Tel. & Tel. 5s	93¾	93¾	93¾	5
Penn. 4s, 1945	85½	85½	85½	2
Penn. 3½s, 1952	100¼	100¼	100¼	14
Penn. gen. 4½s	92¾	91¾	92¼	132
Peo. Gas, Chi. con. 6s	96¾	96	96¾	3
Pere Marq. 1st 5s	82	82¼	82¾	30
Pere Marq. 1st 4s	63	63	63	3
Phila. Co. C. & P. 5s	87	87	87	1
Public Service 5s	85	84¾	84¾	6
READING gen. 4s	89¾	89	89	51
Read. Jer. C. & L. 4s	87¾	87¾	87¾	1
Rep. Iron & St. 5s	97¾	97	97	22
Rio Gr. Wn. 1st 4s	60	60	60	1
R. I. Ark. & La. 5½s	63½	63½	63½	1
St. L. I. M. & Sou. 5s	93	94½	94½	7
St. L. & S. F. 4s, ch. & ref. 4s	74	73	73	15
St. L. & S. F. Ry. gen. 5s	97¼	97¼	97¼	5
St. L. & S. F. prior lien 5s, Series A	59	58¾	58¾	173½
St. L. & S. F. prior lien 5s, Series B	77	77	77	3
St. L. & S. F. 6s, cl. A	61¾	60	61¾	2
St. L. & S. F. 6s, cl. B	61¾	60	61¾	2
St. L. S. W. 1st 4s	66¼	66	66	15
St. L. S. W. con. 4s	60	60	60	2
Sale Ain I. coll. 5s	46¾	46	46¾	50
S. A. L. i. f. 4s, stpd.	73¾	72¾	73¼	11
Stan. O. & R. s. f. 7s	94	94	94	1
S.O. R. Ts, withwar.	98	98	98	4
So. Bell Tel. 5s	94	92½	93½	5
So. Pac. conv. 5s	95¾	94	94¼	169
So. Pac. coll. 4s	78¾	75½	76¼	3
So. Pac. conv. 4s	81¾	81¾	81¾	82
So. Pac. S. F. Tex. 4s	80¾	80¾	80¾	1
So. Pac. ref. 4s	84½	84½	84½	15
Southern Ry. 5s	94	93	94	39
Southern Ry. reg. 4s	69	68	68	271
So. Ry., St. L. Div. 4s	70	70	70	1
TENN. COP. cv. 6s	90¾	89¾	89¾	15
Texas Co. deb. 6s	100¾	100	100¾	58
Third Av. ref. 4s	63¾	63¾	63¾	4
Third Av. adj. 5s	39¾	38	38	13
Tol. & O. C. 1st 5s	90¼	90¼	90¼	2
T. St. L. & W. pr. l. 3½s	79¾	79¾	79½	2
Tol., St. L. & W. 4s	48	48	48	7
Trenton G. & E. 5s	95¾	95¾	95¾	1
UNION PAC. 1st 4s	91	89¾	90¾	41½
Union Pac. cv. 4s	87½	87¼	87½	4
Union Pac. ref. 4s	81¾	81	81	46
U. Rfg. of San Fran. Un. Tr. ctfs.	28	28	28	3
U. Rys. of St. L. 4s	58	58	58	4
U. S. Rty. & Imp. 5s	51	50¾	51	5
U. S. Rubber 5s	101¾	101¾	102¼	3
U. S. Rubber ref. 5s	81¾	80¾	81¾	275
U. S. Smelt. cv. 6s	101	101	101	3
U. S. Steel 5s	101½	100	101¼	232
U. S. Steel Corp. deb. 5s	97¼	96¾	97¼	6
Va. Ry. & P. 5s	92¾	92¼	92¾	12
Va. Iron, C. & C. 5s	85½	85½	85½	2
Va. Ry. & Power 5s	80	80	80	5
WABASH 1st 5s	90¾	90¾	90¾	21
Wabash 2d 5s	90¾	89½	89¾	16
Western Electric 5s	98	97½	98	4
Western Pacific 5s	84	83	84	10
W. U. Tel. R. 4½s	92	91	91¾	7
West. Shore 4s	81¾	80¾	81¾	10
Wilkes & Eastern 5s	62	60	60	4
Wilson & Co. 6s	98½	98¼	98¼	45
Wisconsin Cent. 4s	72¾	72	72	16

Total sales.....$7,367,500

GOVERNMENT BONDS

U. S. 2s, coupon	99	99	99	2
U. S. 2s, reg.	98½	98¾	98¾	24½
U. S. 4s, coupon	106	106	106	1
U. S. Liberty 3½s	99.80	99.70	99.72	1883½
Panama 3s, coupon	85¾	85¾	85¾	1
Am. For. Sec. 5s	95	95	95	206½
Anglo-French 5s	92	91	91¾	1027½
City of Bordeaux 6s	91½	89½	89½	87½
City of Lyons 6s	91½	89½	89½	68
City of Marseilles 6s	91¼	89¼	89¼	17
City of Paris 6s	90½	90	90¼	157½
City of Tokio 5s	76	76	76	2
Dom. of Can. 5s, '21	95¾	94¾	95	12
Dom. of Can. 5s, '26	95	94¼	94½	9
Dom. of Can. 5s, '31	94¼	94¼	94½	41
French Govt. 5½s	98¼	95¾	98¼	191
Japanese 4½s	83½	83	83	15
Japanese 4½s, 2d Ser.	87¾	87¼	87¼	81
Jap. 4½s, 2d Ser. Ger. st.	77¾	76¾	77	103
Panama 3s, coupon	80	80	80	1
Rep. of Cuba 5½s	98¼	96½	98¼	2
Rep. of Cuba, 5s, '04	96	96	96¼	15
Rep. of Cuba 5s, '14	97	97	97	4
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5s	96¾	96	96¾	850
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s, 1918	99¾	99½	99½	181
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s, 1919	96	94¾	95	425
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s, 1919, new	98¾	98¼	98½	436
U. K. of G. B. & I. 5½s, 1921	93½	92¾	93¼	261

Total sales.....$22,753,500

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

4s, 1957	94¼	94¼	94¼	5
4s, 1959	94	94	94	32
4½s, 1960	99¾	97¼	98	10
4½s, 1963	98	97½	97½	3
4½s, Nov., 1957	101¾	101¾	101¾	2
4½s, 1965	101¾	101¼	101¼	18
4½s, 1963	101¾	101¼	101¾	15

Total sales.....$88,000

STATE BONDS.

N. Y. Canal 4½s	109¾	109¾	109¾	5

Grand total.....$30,214,000

CURB MARKET OF THE WEEK

Trading by Days

	Industrials.	Oils.	Mining.	Bonds.
Monday	37,667	126,350	261,500	$197,000
Tuesday	41,382	128,540	213,100	256,000
Wednesday	42,345	174,645	237,545	180,000
Thursday	34,007	180,150	292,311	272,000
Friday	22,760	264,320	236,143	287,000
Saturday	19,269	77,740	156,150	350,000
Total	196,369	971,010	1,390,312	$1,507,000

INDUSTRIALS

		High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Sales.					
27,000	*Astra Exp.	5¾	5¾	5¼	+ ¾
200	*A. E. pf. w.i	40¾	40	40¾	+ 2¾
3,650	*Air Red'n.	84	77	84	+ 2
700	*Am. Writ. P.	2¼	2¼	2¾	+ ¾
300	S.-Am. T. cer.	15½	15	15½	— ¾
100	B.-A. T., cr. b	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ¼
1,100	*Car L. & P.	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ¼
50	*Carbon Steel	74	71	74	+ 2
1,200	Carson Steel	10	9¾	10	
5,275	C. M. C., w. i	50	71	80	+ 2
2,934	*Cit. Svc., old	221½	214½	219	— 3½
3,658	*Con. Mot. pf.	79¾	77¾	79	— 1¾
6,200	Curtiss Aero.	35	32	32½	— 1¾
1,200	Ev. Hean. Inc	23	21¾	22¾	— ¼
100	Holly Sug. C.	45	45	45	
23,700	*Int.-L. Chem.	3¾	3¼	3¾	
2,800	Int. Rubber	10	9	11	— ¼
200	Key. T. & R.	13¾	13½	13½	— ¼
700	*Lake T. Boat	4½	4	4½	+ ¼
100	*L. S. 1st pf.	101½	101½	101½	+ ½
750	*Man. Transit.	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
1,700	Mar. of Am.	3	2¾	3	— ¼
9,950	*Maxim Mun.	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
200	N. Y. Trans.	14	13½	14	+ 1¼
8,000	N. A. P. S.	3	2¾	2¾	— ¼
4,250	*Prod. Pict.	8	7¾	8	— 1¼
100	*Pyrene M. Co.	9	9	9	— 1
11,000	Smith M. T.	1¾	1¾	1¾	— ¼
2	A. O. Smith pf	92¾	92¾	92¾	— 1¾
2,000	*St. J. Lead	11	11	11	— ¼
1,600	Steel A. Corp.	7¼	6¾	6¾	— ¼
200	*Stand. Motor.	8¾	8½	8¾	— ¼
12,300	Sub. Boat	15¾	14	14¾	+ ½
10	*Tod. Shipyds.	79	79	79	— 3
7,000	Transit C. Co	1	1	1	
18,500	*Un. Motors	22½	18½	22	+ 3¾
1,255	*U. S. A. Corp	4½	3¾	4½	— ¾
3,450	*U. S. E. & H.	1¼	1¼	1¼	
5,500	U. S. S. Co.	4¾	4¾	5¼	— ¼
1,000	United Zinc	2¾	2½	2¾	— ¼
2,800	World Film	¼	¼	¼	
33,500	*W.-M. A. C.	9¾	8¾	8¾	— ¾

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES

3,700	Angio-Am. Oil	15¾	15	15¾	+ ¼
7,200	*Ark.-Nat.-Gas	2¾	2½	2¾	— ¼
50	Prairie P. L.	243	240	240	— 26
5	So. Pipe Line	193	193	193	— 7
500	S. Oil of N. Y.	260	260	260	+ 20
940	S. Oil of Tex.	256	256	256	+ 20

OTHER OIL STOCKS

3,200	*Allen Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
10,700	*Bar. O. & G.	1¾	1¼	1¾	+ ¼
8,455	*Beth. O. & G.	10¾	10¼	10¾	+ ¼
181,000	*Bos.-Wy. Oil	39	42	34	— 2
26,500	*Ceeden Oil	5¼	1¾	5¾	— ¼
200	*Cos. Oil pf.	93	93	93	— 1
13,800	*Crosby Pet.	83	75	75	— 6
18,250	Cumb. P. & R.	1¾	1¼	1¾	+ ¼
12,500	*Elk B. Pet.	8¾	7¾	8¾	+ ¼
21,100	*Elk. O. & G.	¾	¾	¾	
16,600	*Esmeralda O.	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
15,200	*Federal O.	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
3,500	*Friar Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
13,800	*Glenrock Oil	16¾	15¾	16¾	+ ¾
1,500	*H. G. A. O. & R.	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ¼
150	*Hanley Oil	17	17	17	+ 1
6,100	*Inter. Pet.	13¾	13¼	13¼	— ¾
15,500	*Kan.-U. Oil	1¼	1	1	— ¼
22,800	Kenova Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
3,200	*Kentucky Oil	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ¼
9,850	*Last City Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
26,000	*Merritt Oil	30¾	27¾	27¾	— 3¼
18,400	Met. Pet.	4¾	4¼	4¾	+ ¼
20,300	Mid-West Oil	143	122	142	+ 17
11,400	*Midw. R. pf.	1¾	1¼	1¾	+ ¼
5,150	*Midwest Ref.	142	131	141	+ 10
1,500	*N. Y.-Ok. Oil	¼	¼	¼	
84,000	*N. W. Oil	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ¼
58,000	*Okla. Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
500	*Okla. Oil pf.	30	30	30	— 5
17,400	*Okl. P. & R.	3¾	3¼	3¾	+ ¼
7,500	Omar O. & G.	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ¼
10,000	Osage-Ind. & G.	5¾	5¾	5¾	
100	*Pan-Am. Pet.	48	43	47	— 2
500	Penn. Gasoline	¼	¼	¼	— ¼
4,815	*Penn.-Ky. O.	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
15,600	*P.-O. O. & G.	13¾	12¾	12¾	+ ¾
8,500	*Red R. O. & G.	72	65	72	+ 5
24,300	*Rice Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
3,200	*Sapulpa Oil	¾	¾	¾	— ¼
26,000	*Sec. O. & G.	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ¼
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EXPECT REVISION OF WAR TAX LAW

Financial District Believes Congress Will Iron Out Inequalities of the New Measure.

REED TELLS OF OVERSIGHTS

Counsel of Bankers' Association Says Some Defects Are as "Numerous as They Are Destructive."

Close students of the new war tax law have the impression that when Congress convenes again a number of inequalities in the excess profits tax provisions will be ironed out. It is expected in some quarters of the financial district that a special board will be appointed to interpret what appear to be conflicting features of the act and to recommend whatever amendments are found to be necessary. In the meantime the corporations are going ahead, applying the law as they find it with the purpose of reserving from net earnings the maximum tax to which they may be subject.

Some of the items which have been looked upon as unequal were discussed yesterday by Robert R. Reed of the law firm of Reed, McCook & Hoyt, who have represented the Investment Bankers' Association in its effort to obtain an excess profits tax adapted from the English plan under which $700,000,000 was collected in 1916.

"The injustices and oversights of the Excess Profits act," he said, "are very serious, but the tax itself, when analyzed as a war tax, is not such as should cause alarm among investors nor detract one dollar from the country's response to the Liberty Loan. It can hardly be doubted that Congress will remedy the manifest oversights of the law, some of which are as humorous as they are destructive.

"An analysis of the new tax in its application to the larger companies indicates that where the 'invested capital' as defined in the act equals or exceeds the actual capital employed in the business, the graduated tax will leave untouched about 14 per cent. out of a 15 per cent. income, 17½ per cent. out of a 20 per cent. income, 21 per cent. out of a 25 per cent. income, and over 2a per cent. out of a 45 per cent. income. It is in the cases where the restrictions and oversights in the definition of 'invested capital' reduce it below the actual capital and also where a large part of the income is produced by factors other than 'invested capital,' particularly in the cases of partnerships and in the exceptional kinds of business, that the tax operates injuriously and in fact destructively. But these injustices and oversights are so plain that relief in some form seems certain.

Application of the Tax.

"There is now time to study the application of the tax and to present to the Treasury Department and to the Congress the specific instances and kinds of hardship that must be dealt with. Probably the most striking of these is the failure to make the minimum deductions of $6,000 and $6,000 apply to the graduated taxes above the 20 per cent. tax. Connected with this omission is the failure to make any allowance for personal services of partners. All concerns, large and small, having any 'invested capital' are taxed on income produced by personal services and possibly other factors excluded from the capital computation at a rate and in an amount figured on the capital as computed. The unsoundness of such a principle is self-evident, and its unwisdom is demonstrated by its specific results.

"The graduated taxes from 25 per cent. to 60 per cent. are based solely on the capital percentages. In the extreme cases, which will be many among smaller concerns, the 60 per cent. rate applies to most of the income. A small firm doing a business of $5,000 on a capital of $3,000, is taxed 60 per cent. of $4,010, ($5,000 minus 33 per cent. of $3,000), or $2,406, in addition to the 25 per cent. to 45 per cent. rates, amounting to $198, a total that is, of $2,604.

"On the same basis three partners, with a $10,000 capital, making $15,000, are taxed 60 per cent. of the excess over $3,800, or $7,020, plus the lower taxes, which are $960, a total of $7,980. It is inconceivable that any member of the conference or of Congress intended such a result. The same partners, incorporated and receiving salaries aggregating $12,000, would have a net income of $3,000 and pay a tax of $525. The injustice of this is so plain, the oversight so well recognised, that a prompt remedy is certain. This is far more serious than the much-discussed 8 per cent. tax on the excess over $6,000 where the capital is nominal.

"The oversight becomes humorous, as well as destructive, when we find that while the lower the 'invested capital' the greater becomes the tax until it is practically 60 per cent. on the entire income, yet when the 'invested capital' goes still lower and touches the imaginary point where it becomes 'nominal,' then, presto! the 60 per cent. tax on the excess $3,800, disappears, and an 8 per cent. tax on the excess over $6,000 takes its place.

"What is needed is a provision permitting the deduction in all cases of the fair pre-war value of the services of the partner and an actual valuation of actual capital on a pre-war basis—assuming, of course, that some more practical principle cannot be found which will avoid the dangers and difficulties of a valuation of capital. In any case the tax based on capital percentages should apply only to the income earned by capital. Then if Congress insists on the 8 per cent. tax on earned income of individuals over $6,000, it should apply to the individual and not to a partnership of two to twenty individuals."

The National City Company's Digest.

The National City Company will issue today a digest of the War Tax law, which goes into much detail in respect to the working of the excess profits tax provisions. Tables are contained which show how the tax is applied to corporations with capital running from $20,000 to $50,000,000. The income tax for individuals and corporations is also outlined. In dealing with the excess profits tax, the digest illustrates the manner in which specified deductions are to be made.

"The income of from 7 per cent. to 9 per cent. on the present capital of corporations or partnerships," says the City Company, "is not taxed. The excess tax depends upon the average rate earned during the pre-war period, the three years 1911, 1912 and 1913," upon the average capital invested during those years, averaged monthly. The 1st 6 per cent. earned on the per cent. earned upon the capital invested. On the first 15 per cent. or less earned on the capital (less the exempted income and the $3,000 or $6,000 deduction), the tax is 20 per cent. On the next 5 per cent. or less (profits 15 per cent. to 20 per cent.) the tax is 25 per cent. On the next 5 per cent. or less (20 per cent. to 25 per cent.), the tax is 35 per cent. On the next 8 per cent. or less (profits 25 to 33 per cent.) the tax is 45 per cent., and on the remaining income all income in excess of 33 per cent.), the tax is 60 per cent.

"For example, if a corporation which earned 9 per cent. or more during the pre-war period, had during 1917 a capital investment of $100,000 and a net income of $50,000, or 50 per cent. on its capital, it would be taxed as follows:

	Tax.
On $15,000, (15%), less $3,000 exempted income and $3,000 exempting ($15,000), balance $9,000, taxed at 20%.....	$1,800
On $5,000, (15-20%,) taxed at 25%.....	1,250
On $5,000, (20-25%,) taxed at 35%.....	1,750
On $5,000, (25-30%,) taxed at 45%.....	2,250
On $17,000, (excess over 33%,) taxed at 60%.....	10,200
Total tax on $50,000.....	$17,400

"If the pre-war earnings had been 7 per cent. or less, the aggregate deduction from the first $15,000 of net income would be $10,000, ($7,000 plus $3,000,) leaving $5,000 to be taxed at 20 per cent., and making the first tax $1,000 instead of $300. All the other grades of tax would remain the same, so that the total tax would be $17,800 instead of $17,400, or 35.6 per cent. of its income instead of 34.8 per cent."

Discusses the Exemptions.

The prescribed exemptions, says the digest, can apparently only be made in computing the tax on income up to 15 per cent. Consequently, any business earning over 15 per cent. is subject to the higher rate of tax on the excess over 15 per cent., even though the net income may be less than the deductions specified. In case of a corporation with a capital of $20,000 and a net income of $4,400 (22 per cent.) which earned 8 per cent. during the pre-war period, the total deduction would be $4,000, ($1,600 plus $2,400,) or $200 more than the total income. The corporation would nevertheless be taxed $300 as follows:

On $2,000, (15 per cent.) less $4,000 no tax at 20 per cent. rate.....	
On $10,000, (15-25 per cent.,) taxed at 25 per cent.....	$250
On $400, (20-22 per cent.,) taxed at 35 per cent.....	140
Total tax on $4,400.....	$390

The City Company notes that while this result may have been intended, as indicated by the literal wording of the act, there is some ground for claiming that the scale of taxes should be applied only to income remaining after the total deductions have been subtracted.

RECORD OF TRANSACTIONS.

New York Stock Exchange, week ended Oct. 20, 1917:

STOCKS, (SHARES.)

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Monday	963,732	983,567	812,008
Tuesday	1,353,801	1,353,212	1,053,579
Wednesday	794,324	1,102,275	890,216
Thursday	746,358	1,304,221	1,064,823
Friday	932,856	1,276,967	1,050,025
Saturday	445,965	748,488	510,590
Total week	4,963,218	6,804,677	5,400,627
Year to date	151,382,820	139,622,168	136,562,837

BONDS. (PAR VALUE.)

Monday	$5,753,000	$5,807,500	$2,690,000
Tuesday	6,317,000	6,258,000	4,433,500
Wednesday	5,382,500	7,571,000	4,326,500
Thursday	4,833,000	5,076,500	4,710,000
Friday	5,503,500	7,333,500	5,614,500
Saturday	5,531,000	5,359,000	2,400,500
Total week	$30,214,000	$38,707,500	$24,781,000
Year to date	791,291,450	862,893,200	882,893,200

In detail last week's transactions compare as follows with the same week a year ago:

BONDS.

	Oct. 20, '17.	Oct. 21, '16.	Changes.
R.R. & misc.	$7,567,500	$26,892,000	—$19,524,500
Govt.	22,753,500	11,169,500	+ 11,584,000
State	80,000	40,000	— 35,500
City	86,000	604,000	— 518,000
Total all	$30,214,000	$38,707,500	—$8,493,500

WEEK'S PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.—Dealings discontinued.

	Dec.		Jan.		May.	
CORN.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Oct. 15...	1.13⅛	1.11⅛	1.07⅞	1.06¼	1.07⅞	1.06¼
Oct. 16...	1.14¼	1.12⅝	1.09⅛	1.08	1.09⅛	1.08
Oct. 17...	1.14⅛	1.13⅝	1.10	1.08⅝	1.10⅛	1.09¼
Oct. 18...	1.13⅝	1.11¾	1.09¼	1.07⅝	1.11¼	1.10¼
Oct. 19...	1.13⅛	1.11¼	1.08¾	1.06⅝	1.11⅛	1.10⅛
Oct. 20...	1.15⅞	1.14¼	1.10	1.07¾	1.13⅛	1.11⅝
W'k's ra.	1.15⅞	1.11⅛	1.10¼	1.06¼	1.13⅛	1.07⅛

	Dec.			May.		
OATS.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Oct. 15...			57⅞	56¾	60¾	59
Oct. 16...	58¼	57⅝	59⅞	58¾	62¼	60¾
Oct. 17...	58¾	57¾	60¾	59¾	63¼	62¼
Oct. 18...			59¾	58¾	62¾	61¾
Oct. 19...	59	58¼	60¾	59¾	63¾	62¾
Oct. 20...	59½	58¾	60¾	60¾	63¾	62¾
Week's range	59	57¾	60¾	59		

Provisions.

	Nov.		Jan.	
LARD.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Oct. 15...			21.47	21.12
Oct. 16...			21.72	21.37
Oct. 17...	22.70	22.35	21.70	21.45
Oct. 18...	22.75	22.35	21.70	21.12
Oct. 19...	24.40	23.70	21.70	21.40
Oct. 20...	24.00	23.80	21.30	20.90
Week's range	24.09	23.35	21.75	20.90

			Jan.	
RIBS.			High.	Low.
Oct. 15...			21.45	
Oct. 16...			22.00	21.63
Oct. 17...			22.05	21.82
Oct. 18...			21.90	21.32
Oct. 19...			21.75	21.67
Oct. 20...			21.45	20.56
Week's range			22.05	21.36

			Jan.	
PORK.			High.	Low.
Oct. 15...			40.70	40.00
Oct. 16...			41.45	40.75
Oct. 17...			41.22	40.57
Oct. 18...			41.00	40.15
Oct. 19...			40.80	40.20
Oct. 20...			40.15	38.00
Week's range			40.55	38.00

NEW YORK.

COTTON.

	Oct.		Dec.		Jan.	
	High.	Low.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Oct. 15...	27.45	27.25	27.27	26.95	27.00	26.75
Oct. 16...	28.00	27.10	27.80	26.43	27.00	26.15
Oct. 17...	28.07	27.74	27.63	27.17	27.30	26.76
Oct. 18...	28.07	27.75	27.60	27.25	27.22	26.89
Oct. 19...	28.07	27.82	27.68	27.30	27.35	26.90
Oct. 20...	28.20	28.18	27.80	27.80	27.22	26.79
W'k's ra.	28.26	27.10	27.82	26.45	27.35	26.15

	Mar.		May.		July.	
	High.	Low.	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Oct. 15...	27.15	27.17	27.05	26.16	26.90	26.53
Oct. 16...	26.90	26.07	26.73	26.00	26.74	26.10
Oct. 17...	27.00	26.53	26.90	26.43	26.85	26.60
Oct. 18...	27.02	26.60	26.91	26.57	26.88	26.60
Oct. 19...	27.15	26.70	27.00	26.62	26.85	26.50
Oct. 20...	28.00	26.55	26.73	25.48	26.90	26.18
W'k's ra.	27.15	26.07	27.05	26.09	26.90	26.10

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MONEY RATES

	On Call. High.	Low.	Last.	Renewals.	Time Loans. 60 Days.	90 Days.	6 Mos.
Oct. 15	3½	3½	3	3½	5¼	5¼	5¼
Oct. 16	4	3½	4	3½	5¼	5¼	5¼
Oct. 17	4	3½	3½	3½	5¼	5¼	5¼
Oct. 18	3½	3½	3½	3½	5¼	5¼	5¼
Oct. 19	3	3	3	3	5¼	5¼	5¼
Oct. 20	3	3	3	3	5¼	5¼	5¼
Week's range—							
High	4				5¼	5¼	5¼
Low	2				5¼	5¼	5¼
Same week last year—							
High	3				5¼	5¼	5¼
Low	2¼				5¼	5¼	5¼
Year to date—							
High	10				6	6	6
Low	1½				1¾	1¾	1¾
Same period last year—							
High	6				5	5	5
Low	1¼				1¾	1¾	1¾

Bank Acceptances.

Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 90 to 90 days..... 3½@3¾
Non-members and private bankers eligible, 60 to 90 days..... 3½@3¾
Not eligible, 90 to 90 days..... 4½@5

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30 to 90 days..... 3¾
4 to 6 months..... 3¾@4
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4 to 6 months..... 6

DISCOUNT RATES—FEDERAL RESERVE BANK'S COMMERCIAL PAPER.

	15 or Less.	Over 15. Less.	Over 30. up to 60.	Over 60. up to 90.
Boston	3½	4	4	4
New York	3	4	4	4
Philadelphia	3½	4	4	4
Cleveland	3½	4	4	4½
Richmond	3½	4	4	4½
Atlanta	3½	4	4	4½
Chicago	3½	4	4	4½
St. Louis	3½	4	4½	4½
Minneapolis	4	4	4	4½
Kansas City	4	4	4½	4½
Dallas	3½	4	4	4½
San Francisco	3½	4	4	4½

Trade Acceptances.

	Agricul. Over 90.	Up to 60.	60 to 90.	Comm. mosity.
Boston	3	3½	3½	4
New York	3	3½	3½	4
Philadelphia	3½	3½	3½	3½
Cleveland	3	3½	4	4
Richmond	3½	3½	3½	3½
Atlanta	3	3½	3½	3½
Chicago	3	3½	3½	4
St. Louis	3	3½	3½	3½
Minneapolis	3	3½	4	4
Kansas City	3	3½	4	4
Dallas	3	3½	3½	3½
S. Francisco	3½	3½	3½	3½

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EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK AT DOMESTIC CENTRES.

	Boston.	Chicago.	St. L.	San F.
Oct. 15	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par
Oct. 16	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par
Oct. 17	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par
Oct. 18	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par
Oct. 19	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par
Oct. 20	Par	†10c	†15.95c	Par

†Discount.

LONDON MONEY AND DISCOUNTS.

	Discounts. Short.	Bills.	3 Mos.	Paris Ex. on London.
	Money.			
Oct. 15	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c
Oct. 16	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c
Oct. 17	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c
Oct. 18	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c
Oct. 19	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c
Oct. 20	4	4¼	4¼	27f 18c

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

	Brit. Consols. London.	British Paris.	Rentes. Paris.
Oct. 15	56	100⅝	61f 25c
Oct. 16	56⅛	100⅞	61f 20c
Oct. 17	56⅛	100⅝	61f 50c
Oct. 18	56⅛	100⅝	62f 10c
Oct. 19	56⅛	10.⅝	62f 25c
Oct. 20	56⅛	100⅝	62f 25c

BAR SILVER.

	London.	New York.
Oct. 15	43¾d	86¾c
Oct. 16	43¾d	85¾c
Oct. 17	43¼d	84¾c
Oct. 18	42¾d	84¾c
Oct. 19	42¾d	83¾c
Oct. 20	42¾d	83¾c

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Oct. 20.—Charters filed:

Boston Havana Oil Corp., $5,000,000; Arthur W. Britton, Samuel B. Howard, George V. Reilly, all of New York.

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WILL BUILD 200 BOATS

War Committee Makes Appeal for Craftsmen—First Keel Plate Will Be Laid Dec. 1.

Steel workers are wanted badly by the United States Emergency Fleet Corporation in Newark, N. J., one of the great war plants that is rising magically out of the meadows along Newark Bay to supply the Government's need for cargo vessels as one means of successful prosecution of the war.

The United States Shipping Board and the Submarine Boat Corporation are co-operating to spread among the workers news of the great need for them to flock to the metropolitan district to take part in the task of turning out the standardized steel ships in such quantities that Germany's submarine war shall be balked.

A special War Committee which is to aid the great ship plants to get the men needed has issued posters picturing a steel vessel in process of construction on the ways, and proclaiming:

"If you can use tools you are wanted: your country needs ships and men to build them. Armies, ammunition and supplies are useless in this country without ships to transport them. Go to the nearest shipyard and offer your services. You can thus help to win the war and make the world safe for democracy."

The Newark yards are to employ 12,000 men.

The contract for the building of fifty vessels of 5,000 tons each was signed by the Shipping Board last month. It will be followed by another for 150 more vessels. The vessels which are to play such an important part in the war by carrying supplies to the Allies and to the American soldiers in France will be turned out at the rate of one vessel every three days. The first keel will be laid on Dec. 1 and others will follow rapidly, until twenty-eight steel vessels are under construction at the same time. Then as soon as one vessel is launched another will take its place on the ways.

The site is known as the Port Newark Terminal and is part of the City of Newark. It occupies 125 acres of land, and in it will be fifteen miles of standard gauge railroad track connecting the many shops, slips, and ways. These tracks will connect with the Pennsylvania and Lehigh Railroads and the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

On one side of the property is a slip 700 feet wide and a completed wharf 4,400 feet long by 50 feet wide, on which three lines of track are laid, where large vessels may be moored. On the front of 2,700 feet are twenty-eight sets of building ways now being built. These ways are in sets of two. There are to be 20 fixed steel derrick towers, founded on piles, each equipped with two or more steel derricks, and forward of the ways are to be 14 derricks. These derricks with the building ways adjoining will make an imposing picture from the water front, and give some slight idea of the immensity of the undertaking.

The whole arrangement of the shops has been on the idea of efficiency. The material will practically be brought into the yard at one point and the ships complete it will leave at another.

The buildings now being erected include an administration building, a hotel and restaurant, two fabrication sheds, a terminal building, a hospital, garages, two principal storehouses, the fabricating plant, three paint storage buildings, a storehouse for heavy machinery, a machine shop, an office building, a main sub-station and meter house, a sub-station, a transformer station, an engine house, a yardmaster's office, an oil storage building, several cottages for emergency employes, and a small office and covered platform for team deliveries.

Loyalty Week in New Jersey.

The feature of the National Security League's campaign of patriotism through education this week is a "Loyalty Week" in New Jersey. Throughout the week patriotic meetings, addressed by speakers of national prominence, will be held in the principal cities and towns of the State. As in New York, Vermont, and other States where "Loyalty Weeks" have been held by the league, this preliminary series of meetings will be followed by scores of other meetings growing out of the interest in the movement thus awakened.

Quotation List of Outside Securities

THESE quotations are obtained from brokerage houses all over the country. The name of the bidder will be given upon request.

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS.

SECURITIES.	Rate	When Payable.		Quotation Oct. 20, 1917. Bid.	Asked.
Albany Southern, '39	5	Mar.	& Sep.	70	80
Amac. & Pot. R., '49	5	Jan.	& July		90
Appalach. Pwr. 1st, '32	5	June	& Dec.	78	82
Ariz. Power 1st, '33	6	May	& Nov.	90	95
Asher. P. & L. 1st, '42	5	Apr.	& Oct.	93	96
Au. Aiken R. & E., '35	5	June	& Dec.	55	60
B. Rouge El. 1st, '39	5	Feb.	& Aug.	87	90
Buf. Gen. El. 1st, '39	5	Feb.	& Aug.	99	101
Buf. Ry. cons., '51	5	Feb.	& Aug.	99½	100½
Buf. & Niag. F. Elec. Ry. 1st, '30	5	Jan.	& July	96	98
Buf. & Lock. 1st, '38	5	Jan.	& July	96	98
Buf. & Sus. I. 1st, '32	5	June	& Dec.	90	96
Buf. & S. Iron deb. '26	5	Jan.	& July		91½
Buffalo Trac. 1st, '48	5	June	& Dec.	100	102
Cape Breton El. 1st, '52	5	Jan.	& July	91	95
Capital Trac. 1st, '47	5	June	& Dec.	98	100
Carolina P. & L. 1st, '38	5	Feb.	& Aug.	85	88
Charleston Con. R., G. & Elec., '99	5	Mar.	& Sep.	95	97
Do '23	5	Jan.	& July	98	100
Cleve. Elec. Ill., '30	5	Apr.	& Oct.	93	96
C. Buck. L. & P. Tr., '27	5	Mar.	& Sep.	94	97½
Colo. Power 1st, '53	5	May	& Nov.	89	93
Columbia Ry., Gas & Elec. 1st, '36	5	Jan.	& July	85	92
Conn. Pr. 1st & con., '63	5	Apr.	& Oct.	90	95
Cons. G. of N. J., '36	5	Jan.	& July		95
Do 1st, '65	5	Apr.	& Oct.	92	95
Cons. T. of N.J. 1st, '38	5	June	& Dec.	98	99½
Cons. Water of Utica 1st, '20	5	Jan.	& July	94	99
Do deb., '30	5	Jan.	& July	88	94
Consumers Pr. (Mich.) 1st, '36	5	Jan.	& July	90	94
Crosstown Street Ry. (Buffalo) 1st, '32	5	May	& Nov.	100	102
Dallas Elec. 1st, '22	5	Apr.	& Oct.	92½	96
E. Texas Elec. 1st, '42	5	May	& Nov.	85	90
Econ. Lt. & P. 1st, '56	5	June	& Dec.	90	96
El Paso Elec. coll., '32	5	Jan.	& July	92	96
Ex. Springs Water, G. & Elec. 1st, '32	6	June	& Dec.	93	100
Fed. Lt. & T. deb., '26	6	Mar.	& Sep.	80	90
Fed. L. & T. 1st, '42	5	Mar.	& Sep.	75	82
Gal.-Hous. El. 1st, '54	5	Apr.	& Oct.	80	85
Gal. Elec. 1st 5s, '40	5	May	& Nov.	85	90
Gas & Elec. of Bergen County cons., '49	5	June	& Dec.	97	
Gen. Gas & El. 1st, '32	5	Jan.	& July		75
Gt. West. Pwr. 1st, '46	5	Jan.	& July	81	84
Harwood Elec. 1st, '39	5	Jan.	& July	96	
Houston Elec. 1st, '25	5	Feb.	& Aug.	94	98
Hudson Co. Gas, '49	5	May	& Nov.	98	100
Int. Trac. coll. Tr. '49	4	Jan.	& July	52	53½
Jersey City, Hob. & P. St. Ry. 1st, '49	4	May	& Nov.	72	73
K. C. Home T. 1st, '28	5	Jan.	& July	90	91
Kan. C. Lt. & Pr., '44	5	Jan.	& July	87	90
Do 2d, '44	5	Jan.	& July	83½	91
K. C. Long D. T., '25	5	Jan.	& July	88½	91
Kansas City Rys., '44	5	Jan.	& July	98½	99¾
Do 1st, '44	5	Jan.	& July	86	89
Do 2d, '44	5	Jan.	& July	73	83
Do 3d, '44	6	Jan.	& July	83	90
Knoxville Trac., '33	5	Apr.	& Oct.	100	
Lock. & Olc. R. 1st, '20	6	Jan.	& July		96
Louis. G. & E. ref., '18	5	Jan.	& July	99	100¼
Middl. West Util., '23	6	Jan.	& July	94	99
Miss. R. Power 1st, '51	5	Jan.	& July	68½	70½
Mobile Electric 1st, '46	5	May	& Nov.	88	92½
Munk. G. & E. 1st & ref., '26	5	June	& Dec.	83	88
Nash. R. & L. 1st con., '53	5	Jan.	& July	95	101
Do ref., '58	5	Jan.	& July	78	83
Nev.-Cal. El. 1st in., '46	6	Jan.	& July	96	99
Newark Gas, '48	5	June	& Dec.	96	101
Newark Pass. Ry., '30	4	Jan.	& July	99	102
No. Jer. St. Ry. 1st, '48	4	May	& Nov.	72	75
N. Y. & Westchester Lighting gen., 2004	4	Jan.	& July	70	73
Niag. F. Pwr. 1st, '32	5	Jan.	& July	97½	98½
Do ref. '32	6	Apr.	& Oct.	98	
N. Ont. L. & P. 1st, '31	6	Jan.	& July	80	85
N. St. Pwr. 1st ref. '61	5	Apr.	& Oct.	90	93½
N. Tex. El. coll. tr., '40	5	Jan.	& July	32	37
Omaha & C. Bluffs St. Ry. cons., '28	5	Jan.	& July	89	93
Omaha & C. Bluffs St. Ry. & Bridge con., '28	5	Jan.	& July	90	94
Ontario Power 1st, '43	5	Feb.	& Aug.	90	92
Ottum. R. & L. 1st, '24	5	Jan.	& July	96	97
Pacific Gas & Elec. (Ariz.) 1st, '31	6	Jan.	& July	93	100
Paterson Ry. 1st, '44	5	Apr.	& Oct.	100	
Pensacola Elec. 1st, '31	5	Feb.	& Aug.	83	88
Portland Gen. Elec. Ry. 1st, '30	5				95
Pot. El. Power 1st, '29	5	June	& Dec.	100	102½
Do cons., '39	5	Jan.	& July	98	101
Roch. Ry. & L. 1st '54	5	Jan.	& July	96	97
Roch Ry. conv. '20	5	Apr.	& Oct.	90¼	
Rutland R. & L. 1st, '46	5	Mar.	& Sep.		75
St. Jos. (Mo.) R., L., H. & Power 1st, '37	5	May	& Nov.	83	95
Salmon Riv. Pwr. '34	6	Feb.	& Aug.	84	88
San Diego Gas & E. deb., '39	6	June	& Dec.	97	100
Seattle Elec. cons., '29	5	Feb.	& Aug.	87	92
So. Cal. Edison gen., '39	5	Jan.	& July	93	95
So. Jer. G. & E. 1st, '53	5	Mar.	& Sep.	95	98
S. W. Pr. & Lt.

CALENDARS AND DECISIONS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.
(*) This character means "versus" or "against."

FEDERAL.

DISTRICT COURT—Mack, J.—Court opens in Room 1, 12th Floor, Woolworth Building, at 10:30 A. M.—Admiralty.

New Haven Trap Rock Co *vs. Long Island Motor Truck Co.
Same *vs. Same.
Same *vs. Same.
New England S S Co *vs. Same.
Same *vs. Same.
Same *vs. Same.
Same

CAMOUFLAGED EGGS AID BIRD HATCHING

Emu at Bronx Zoo Becomes Interested in Raising a Brood Through a Ruse.

NOW HAS FAMILY OF THREE

Coloring of Stones to Resemble Eggs Results in Recalsitrant Bird Producing a Brood.

After about half the employes in the Zoological Park in the Bronx had discussed the problem of how to make Pierre Emu assume the responsibilities of fatherhood it was Charles Snyder, keeper of the reptile house, who suggested that camouflage be employed. Snyder, a reader of war news, had already adopted the method in dealing with a batch of homesick snakes, and had brought content by painting the back of their corral to resemble a scene from their native habitat. The employment of camouflage in dealing with the emu family proved a success, and probably will result in greatly increasing the number of emus brought up in safety in the Bronx Park.

In the early part of 1916 Lee S. Crandall, Assistant Curator of Birds, succeeded in persuading Pierre Emu to take care of and raise one chick, but the young bird and the old one became so attached that it did not look as though the emu father would ever again take an interest in raising a family, in explaining the situation, Mr. Crandall said that the mother emu is a bird which absolutely refuses to do more than lay the eggs, trusting to the father bird to hatch and care for the brood.

The separation of the old emu and his chick was accomplished after much difficulty. When it was first tried the young one was placed in an adjacent corral separated from its devoted father by a wire mesh fence. Both birds spent their time trying to batter the fence down with their feet. For fear the young bird might be injured he was taken to the yak house. It was not until this was done that he became reconciled to the separation. Not so with the old bird. He continued to mope about the inclosure and took but slight notice of his mate. In time he ceased to mope, but still he would not be comforted until the young one was finally put back into the inclosure. By that time, however, the youngster had grown so that it was hard to tell him from one of the older pair.

A keeper one morning found an emu egg in a corner of the corral. The mother bird paid no attention to it. Pierre Emu regarded the delicately-tinted egg with curiosity, but beyond that did not appear interested. Another egg was found soon after, and Mr. Crandall knew that he was up against a real problem. He took some of the other park employes into his confidence, and in a short time the news spread to the reptile house.

Camouflage Is Needed.

"What you need is a little camouflage, Mr. Crandall," said Keeper Snyder.

"What do you mean?" inquired Mr. Crandall.

Paint a stone to look like a real egg and then persuade Pierre Emu to sit upon it," said the keeper. "With the painted egg, patience and time can be employed, while the real eggs are saved for substitution later."

The demonstration followed," said Mr. Crandall. "A stone egg painted the proper shade of green was substituted for the real eggs and placed on the floor of the indoor shelter. The bird showed deep interest in the substituted egg, and covered it carefully with straw and debris, which was rearranged daily. The indifference of callow youth was replaced by the solicitude of maturity. Our emu had become a professional father.

The female was, if possible, even more irresponsible than ever. Her eggs were deposited in every corner of the inclosure at intervals varying from four to seven days. Only the vigilance of the keeper prevented the loss of every one. As each egg was laid a stone or wood imitation was placed on the floor of the shelter. Here they were received, covered, and inspected in good faith by the male."

Up to this point the plan worked without a hitch. After six eggs had been collected it was noticed by the keeper that Pierre Emu was becoming moody. He began to spend much of his time regarding the camouflage eggs with an increasing interest. He made methodical rounds every day, rolling the stone eggs out of their covering of straw, inspecting them with care, and then rolling them back and covering them with the straw.

"That wise old bird never tumbled to the fact that he was inspecting stone eggs instead of the real thing," said Keeper Snyder yesterday. "I don't know who painted the eggs, but it was certainly an artistic job. They even fooled one of the keepers, but then he came over from the monkey house and did not know much about birds' eggs. The old bird got to going over them with such care that I was afraid the paint would rub off. I believe that, had this happened, the emu would have got wise to the fake and not only refused to set on them, but would have suffered a change in disposition, for emus are not noted for their good temper or their winning ways."

Needed a Good Nest.

As the emu continued to confine his efforts to the daily inspection of the eggs, it was determined that what he needed was a good nest.

"Two vestibules lead to the inner room occupied in Winter by the emus," said Mr. Crandall in explaining the last stages of the experiment. "We had wished the bird to make his nest in the smaller one, for its dimensions were more suitable for arranging the nest, but the vagaries of instinct again became evident—the bird refused to brood there.

"A nest of fresh, green sod, was arranged. In this we placed the five attractive dummy eggs. Though we had employed the art of camouflage to make the nest very homelike and as near the real thing as possible, the bird would not even consider it seriously as a hatching place. Sometimes the emu would come as far as the door, and from there he would peek through into the proposed nest, but he would not come through the door, though he could get a good view of the five eggs.

"Fearing that the fatherly impulse might pass, it was decided to humor the old bird and we moved the nest, scenery and all from the first vestibule into the one of his choice. It evidently was in accord with his notion, for he spent some time rearranging things to suit himself and then he settled down in comfort for his eight weeks vigil."

After Pierre Emu got nicely settled upon the stone eggs they were artfully extracted by a keeper and real eggs substituted. Three of the real eggs, Mr. Crandall said, had become frosted and they had to be removed. The experiment was declared a success, for one day a keeper discovered two beautifully striped chicks nestling under their father's wing. A third bird appeared, but had difficulty in extricating itself from the shell. It was saved by the efficiency of the keeper.

"The young birds," says the curator, "have grown beyond our expectations, and are much brighter and more active than the single one hatched two years ago. Perhaps this is not altogether surprising, for their father has now become a model foster mother."

Pierre Emu, leading his flock about the inclosure and searching out choice bits of food for them, is now one of the sights of the Zoo.

ROME HEARS RUMORS OF AN AUSTRIAN DRIVE

German Reinforcements Said to be Concentrating for a Bainsizza Offensive.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, Oct. 21.—From the Italian front come vague but insistent rumors that the Austrians are planning an offensive. It is also affirmed that German troops are marching toward the Alps. The Austro-German concentration is said to be directed against the Bainsizza Plateau.

The Austrians seem possessed by a feverish activity, which is unusual in their Autumn movements. All their trenches are in a great ferment, which cannot be attributed merely to preparations for Winter, such as the building of huts for shelter.

Observers report the removal of troops from the Trentino and Carso fronts to the Bainsizza Plateau, as well as the arrival of fresh contingents from the Russian front, where evidently the Germans do not expect any serious offensive.

ROME, Oct. 21.—Italian and Austro-Hungarian forces were engaged in sharp actions yesterday on the Trentino battle front. The official statement issued by the Italian War Office says:

Notwithstanding adverse atmospheric conditions on the Trentino front yesterday, brisk engagements with rifle fire took place here and there. Northeast of Laghi Pesinar enemy parties were driven back and counterattacked by our patrols. In the Booche region in the Pellegrino Valley enemy parties came in contact with the garrisons of our advanced posts, but after a fierce struggle they were forced to withdraw to their positions.

On the Julian front the enemy artillery showed spasmodic activity. Our batteries replied with well-directed bursts of fire and effective concentration.

TO HELP RUMANIAN JEWS.

Conference Urges That Distribution Committee Be Formed.

At a conference of 200 delegates representing Rumanian Jewish organizations in the city and vicinity, a resolution was adopted yesterday urging the dispatch of a Jewish commission to Rumania to supervise the distribution of food in that country. The conference was held at the Broadway Central Hotel. The resolution, which is expected to have the indorsement of every American Jewish committee, will be submitted to the Joint Distribution Committee of which Felix M. Warburg is Chairman. Reports by men who have been in Rumania recently, and who were invited to address the meeting, were to the effect that there was much suffering among Jews there that could be avoided by proper distribution methods.

A resolution introduced by ex-Assemblyman Solomon Suffrin, pledging to the nation the loyalty of Rumanian Jewish citizens, and promising cooperation in the sale of Liberty bonds, was carried unanimously by a rising vote.

Cuba to Help Meet Sugar Shortage.

Personal action by President Menocal of Cuba to take drastic steps, if necessary, to relieve the American sugar shortage, if he found any hoarding of raw sugar supply on the island, was promised last night in a cablegram received by the Republic of Cuba News Bureau from the secretary to the President in Havana, Eusebio S. Azpiazu.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—Forecast:

N. Car. and S. Car.—Fair Mon. and Tues., moderate n. to n. w. winds.

Ga., Ala., and Miss.—Fair Mon. Tues. cloudy and warmer. Light variable winds.

Fla.—Fair Mon. and Tues., warmer Tues. in n. w.; light n. winds.

Tenn.—Fair and warmer Mon. Tues. cloudy.

Ky.—Fair and warmer Mon. Tues. probably rain.

Ohio—Cloudy Mon. Tues. probably rain; light variable winds, becoming moderate s. e.

Ind.—Rain Mon. and probably Tues.; colder Tues.; s. e. winds.

Lower Mich.—Rain Mon. Tues. probably snow and colder; s. e. winds, increasing Mon.

Upper Mich.—Snow and colder Mon. Tues. snow.; s. e. to e. winds.

Okla.—Cloudy Mon., rain at night or Tues. and colder.

E. Tex.—Fair Mon., warmer in n. e. and s. w. Tues. cloudy, colder in the interior.

Ill.—Unsettled Mon. with rain in n. and cent.; warmer in s. e. Tues. rain or snow and colder.

Mo.—Cloudy Mon., probably followed by rain; much colder in w. at night. Tues. unsettled and much colder; probably snow flurries.

Wis.—Snow in n. snow or rain in s. Mon.; colder at night. Tues. cloudy and considerably colder, probably snow flurries; winds becoming brisk n. w. by Tues.

Minn.—Snow and colder Mon.; cold wave in n. w.; much colder at night in e. and s. Tues. fair, colder in e.; fresh to strong n. w. winds.

Iowa—Unsettled Mon., probably rain, turning to snow at night; colder in w., with much colder at night; cold wave in n. w. Tues. fair and colder. Winds becoming fresh n. w.

N. Dak.—Snow flurries and much colder Mon.; cold wave in s. and cent. Tues. fair; warmer in w.

S. Dak.—Snow flurries with a cold wave and fresh to strong n. w. winds Mon. Tues. fair, warmer in w.

Neb.—Unsettled and much colder Mon. and Mon. night, with a cold wave and probably light snow. Tues. fair, colder in e.; fresh n. winds Mon.

Kan.—Unsettled and colder Mon., cold wave at night in w. and cent., with fresh to strong n. winds. Tues. fair and much colder.

LEGAL NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. Southern District of New York.—Notice is hereby given that on June 5, 1917, The Hoboken Ferry Company and The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company filed their petition praying limitation of their liability as Owner and Charterer respectively of the ferryboat "Scandinavia," for any loss, damages or injury arising on or about February 20, 1917, from a collision between the ferryboat "Scandinavia" and the steamship "Joaquin Mumbru," in consequence of which persons are alleged to have sustained damage. That petitioners have stipulated to pay into this Court the value of said ferryboat "Scandinavia" and pending freight as appraised, viz.: $96,975, with 6 per cent interest according to law; that all persons claiming damages by reason of said accident are required by the monition issued on the 5th day of June, 1917, to prove their claims before Max Rockmore, Esq., Commissioner, at his office, Room 349, P. O. Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on or before the 10th day of November, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., and that persons not so proving claims will be then defaulted.

Dated, New York, August 10, 1917.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.

A. J. McMAHON, Proctor for Petitioners.

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FINANCIERS HERALD NEW BUILDING ERA

Bright, Lindner, and Stabler Say Lending Institutions Now Recognize the Change.

BUILDING METALS DROP

Establishing Officially Fact That Basic Materials Cannot Go Down Instills Confidence.

Dominant building financiers who have been watching for the first actual signs of an improvement in real estate and building conditions publicly state their belief that the turn for the better has come in authorized interviews in The Dow Service Daily Building Reports today.

Louis V. Bright, President of the Lawyers Title and Trust Company, asked why he inserted display advertisements in the newspapers calling the attention of the public to the change for the better in basic conditions affecting real estate and building, said:

"Let's look about us. No. 42 Broadway has been turned over, the Stewart Building, one of the choicest bargains of the day, has been taken up by Mr. Munsey for improvement, and all over the city the big leaders in building investment are finding and taking up opportunities they have been waiting for since 1906. All that explains why permanent investors are picking up the bargains, releasing your responsible speculative builders to take care of this new demand for building of various kinds. All this convinces me that the outlook in October is brighter than it has been in some time."

Walter Lindner, solicitor for the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, has been impressed with the trend of building and construction for the better. He said his company is now giving consideration to meritorious propositions. He has been waiting for some assurance that building material market prices would find its level and now that that point has been officially cleared he looks toward the future, not with the expectation of a boom in building construction, but with complete confidence that a start has been made in the direction of safe and sane construction.

Walter Stabler, Controller of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, a dominant factor in the lending market as applied to building construction, thinks it will be a long time, possibly never, when there will be an indiscriminate building boom like that of recent memory. The lending companies have learned a lesson, he believes, adding:

"Real estate never before in my memory was so well rented as it is now. This includes all kinds of building operations. All lenders of money, however, are beginning to realize that the building of the future is going to be done on a very much more conservative basis. We never want to have a condition of over-production of rentable space like that which has existed in this city at times during the last five or ten years.

"In addition to all this the zoning act is already maturing for a condition of stability in realty values and basic building conditions that cannot be changed over night."

Coincident with the general return of confidence and assurance of better things for building construction there is reported in the current quotations this week lower prices on certain construction metals. Blue sheets have passed out of a price range into a flat quotation half a cent lower a pound than last week. The same is true of galvanized sheets. Lead has been changed from a range in price to a flat level. Instead of being quoted at 9 to 10 cents it is now quoted at 9½ cents. Bar lead has been reduced from 11 and 12 cents to 10½ and 11 cents. Expected advances in the price of metal lath have not been reported and it is now practically assured that the change upward will not take place.

By way of confirmation of the official Marks Committee report on the question of building supply, demand, and price of basic building materials, as reported in THE TIMES yesterday, one department in the building material market reports an increase this week. Figured, rolled and wired glass has been advanced about 7½ per cent, due to a shortage in supply of natural gas, higher cost of fuel and labor and wood for shipping containers.

That the improvement in general building conditions is not visionary, but actual, the case of the Brooklyn building department filing room is illustrative of the trend for the better. On Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of last week the clerks were rushed with incoming plans for new buildings and alterations, work as they have not been in four months. In the offices of many architects in Manhattan, work that has been abandoned or indefinitely delayed were revived and reported to the builders for new estimates.

Still another item, that of shortage of building labor, presented a clearer horizon because assurances were given that within a few weeks men who rallied to the nations call for workers at Yaphank, Wrightstown, and other camps would begin to return to the city.

Exactly one month has elapsed since C. J. Curtin, President Elliott Smith, of the Building Material Exchange; Walter C. Shultz, of Hoboken; George A. Molitor and Allen E. Seals of the Dow Service Daily Building Reports conferred with Borough President, Marcus M. Marks on the subject of taking steps to remove the misconceptions with relation to the demand and expected drop in the cost of building materials. The action by Mr. Marks of the biggest men in their line, contributing to real estate and building construction in this market, for his committee of investigation and the complete transition from depression and inaction, to confidence and action has resulted in the decision to make of the general committee an organization of Realty and Construction Minute Men, subject to the call of the President, to take up and administer corrective measures whenever conditions menacing the real estate and building market of New York warrant the kind of work that has just been done.

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U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. Southern District of New York.

Notice is given that the JAMES McWILLIAMS TOWING LINE, owner of the steam tug John Garrett, has filed its petition for limitation of liability for any loss, destruction, damage, or injury from said vessel on the 23d day of October, 1916. Stipulated value of vessel and freight $16,050. Persons claiming damages because of such loss, destruction, damage, or injury must prove their claims before Max Rockmore, Esq., Commissioner, at Room 349 Post Office Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on or before December 3, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., or be defaulted.

Dated August 22, 1917.

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6, 7, 8 and 11 rooms and bath, open fireplace, beam ceiling, hardwood trim, gas, water, electricity, sewers, steam heat, &c.; enough ground for garden and garage; minutes' walk to depot and ideal bathing, boating, and fishing; 34 minutes from Pennsylvania Station; easy terms. Address S. A., 84 Times.

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Lot 20x100, near entrance to Woodside Station; sacrificed; need cash. Address Opportunity, E 22 Times.

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West Side.

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West Side.

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Committee Expects $1,500,000,000 Will Be Taken When the Week Ends.

TAFT TO ADDRESS RALLY

Stock Exchange to Hold a Great Demonstration Today — Seligman Warns Against Business Letup.

The Liberty Loan Committee of New York announced last night that it felt confident that this district would reach its full quota of subscriptions by the time the books closed on Saturday. The New York District is expected to raise 30 per cent. of the total for the country, and on the basis of a minimum of $5,000,000,000 its allotment is $900,000,000; and figuring on the nation subscribing $5,000,000,000, New York's share is $1,500,000,000. Estimates of subscriptions reported up to the close of business Saturday, placed the total at $650,000,000. Today begins the last week's drive, and the expectation is that the $850,000,000 needed to fulfill the billion and a half quota will be obtained. A big rush of subscriptions is predicted for all of this week, and of course the last few days will see the heaviest outpouring.

In the first Liberty Loan campaign, the New York Federal Reserve District furnished more than 30 per cent. of the whole country's subscriptions, although it was asked to supply only 30 per cent. Official returns of the twelve districts show that New York has thus far contributed 45 per cent. of the total for the country. This indicates that New York is not only doing more than its share, but that, relatively speaking, it is far ahead of all the other districts. It should be noted that in the current campaign a great many corporations and individuals are filing their applications in outside districts, while in the first campaign their subscriptions came through New York banks.

Taft to Address Exchange's Rally.

A Liberty Loan rally will be held on the floor of the Stock Exchange at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. William Howard Taft will deliver an address. All of the leading bankers of the city have been invited, and the gathering will be representative of the foremost men in finance. H. G. S. Noble, President of the Exchange, will preside, and all of the members have been requested to attend.

This Wall Street gathering in the interest of the loan is striking, in view of Wall Street's contribution to the war. Not only have all the banks, trust companies, and brokerage houses subscribed liberally to the Red Cross and to the Liberty bond issues, but scores of the best-paid men have given up their business duties to work for the Government without remuneration. A great many have enlisted, and those who have remained at home have been working industriously in the interest of the Liberty Loan. There is not a bank or an investment house whose officials and employes are not devoting practically all of their time to the Liberty Loan. After working all day downtown many of the best-known bankers spend their evenings in delivering speeches on the loan.

Jacob H. Schiff, in speaking of the Stock Exchange rally yesterday, said:

"This is only one of the many manifestations of the interest the members of the Stock Exchange have taken in the work of promoting the sale of the Liberty bonds. They have given unstintedly of their time and talents to the sale of the securities of the Government issued for the purpose of meeting the expenditures of the United States in this war for human freedom."

Mr. Morgan sent the following telegram to William H. Remick, Chairman of the Stock Exchange Liberty Loan Committee, which attended today's meeting:

"Very glad to hear that mass meeting has been arranged in the Stock Exchange for Monday next, to be addressed by ex-President Taft. Am sure this will prove a fitting climax to the splendid work of your committee in arousing enthusiastic, patriotic interest in the success of the second Liberty Loan."

The Executive Committee of the Stock Exchange Liberty Loan Committee is composed of William H. Remick of Remick, Hodges & Co.; Richard Sutro of Sutro Brothers & Co., Felix T. Rosen of Hayden, Stone & Co., Henry H. Wehrhane of Hallgarten & Co., James B. Mabon of Mabon & Co., and Walter L. Johnson of Shearson, Hammill & Co.

The Seventh Regiment Band will furnish music at the rally, and members of the Home Defense League will act as ushers. Soldiers from nearby forts will constitute an honor guard for ex-President Taft.

Wants Volunteer Loan Workers.

Allen B. Forbes, Chairman of the Liberty Loan Distribution Committee, suggested yesterday that every patriotic citizen should constitute himself a volunteer Liberty Loan worker.

"There is no reason why every citizen of this country," said, "should not participate in the mighty volunteer effort being made to support the Government in the sale of the second Liberty Loan. Interest in the loan has been aroused. Every man or woman in whom an inhabitant should constitute himself a special Liberty Loan Committee of One, having first subscribed personally to the utmost of his financial ability. Otherwise he is shifting his burden to some one else. Let him make it his personal business to persuade at least two of his acquaintance to do likewise. In this way it is possible for every citizen to perform a real patriotic service and start an endless chain which may easily prove an important factor in making the loan a success."

Warns Against Business Abatement.

That the activity of business must not be abated for an instant through the curtailment of credit facilities by the banks, and that consequently the banks must be relieved of the strain of taking a large portion of the Government loan, is the opinion of Edwin R. A. Seligman, Professor of Political Economy at Columbia University.

"While no one doubts the ability of the country to raise its Second Liberty Loan," he said, "we must bend our energy toward insuring the flotation of the bonds in conformity with sound economic principles. Aside from the unfortunate financial effect abroad which would follow the absorption of the loan by a small group of persons, there are other considerations which should constantly be kept in mind.

"The activity which characterizes our industries engaged in supplying the sinews of war must not be abated for an instant through the curtailment of credit facilities by the banks. To avoid such a situation the banking institutions of the country must be relieved of the strain of taking a large portion of the loan for their own account. Unquestionably this involves a difficult problem in distribution. The United States must in a few months successfully conduct the campaign of general bond education which has been going on among other nations for decades.

"The task is great, but the opportunity for achievement is unexcelled. The widespread diffusion of wealth and the high standard of living among our people constitute guarantees of ultimate success. The advantage of augmenting the number of Government bondholders cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. It will add immeasurably to the strength of the country, and will break down the distinction between the bondholders and the people, which is so apt to cause grave misunderstandings. In these days when so many are eagerly seeking to perform a war service for the Government there is nothing they can do which will be of more value than winning supporters to the Liberty Loan."

Seward Prosser, President of the Bankers Trust Company, issued a statement yesterday emphasizing the duty of all citizens to subscribe to the Liberty Loan. He said:

"We may take it for granted that the earlier subscriptions to the loan are the result of a very wide appreciation among discerning investors of the attractiveness of this Government's offering. Naturally, there would be some delay before the extreme cheapness of a bond of such high standing could be thoroughly demonstrated to the rank and file of the country. By this time, however, that feature should have become thoroughly subordinated to the question of the citizens' obligations in the extraordinary crisis now faced by the Government. Times like these test man and woman alike in the accomplishment of duty. With many of our most efficient young men willingly sacrificing business careers to take up arms in defense of the liberty handed down by our forefathers, we must make every effort that will aid them to shorten the struggle.

Urges Enlistment in Liberty Bond Army.

"How else can the average man help than by lending part of his savings—present and future—to the Government? It is because that help is so thoroughly needed, and will be so thoroughly appreciated, that the Government foresaw and prepared for a very wide distribution of the Liberty bonds. It now becomes the duty of every one to enlist in the great army that is pressing its dollars into service for the defense of our country."

Investment by Workers.

One of the first apparent results obtained by the national labor leaders who have appealed to trade unions to support the Liberty Loan was reported yesterday by the Secretary of the Asbestos Workers' Union, who said that nearly 1,000 workers and their helpers had agreed to invest half of their "overtime money" in Liberty bonds. It is estimated that this fund will aggregate more than $10,000.

Three former Presidents of the Central Federated Union sent a letter yesterday to 70,000 of their fellow trade unionists urging them to subscribe to the Government loan.

"The time has arrived," says their letter, "when organized labor should render financial and moral support to our country for the successful prosecution of the war against despotism and autocracy. Remember that victory for our country and our allies will be a triumph for democracy, and consequently a victory for organized labor. Organized labor is called upon to help make the second Liberty Loan of 1917 a success. Will you stand behind our boys in the trenches and on the sea? The united power of organized labor and the American people behind our Government will be a force to convince the autocratic military Governments of the enemy that a solidified American people is in this war to a finish. The united millions of Americans will hasten the day of peace and victory will be brought nearer. Will you and your membership help bring this glorious result about by purchasing United States Government Liberty bonds? They can be bought in any denomination from $50 up. They can be paid for on the installment plan on terms of $1 per week through any bank of your selection."

The letter was signed by V. T. Rybicki of the Machinists' Union, Albert Abrahams of the Pressmen's Union, and Albert Bloch of the Needle Trades Union.

State Banking Superintendent Skinner has adopted a suggestion advanced by Maurice Leon, and has sent a circular letter to all savings banks in the State recommending that they follow the French system of taking care of bonds purchased by their depositors. Mr. Leon, in urging the French system, said that it would go a long way in popularizing the Liberty Loan among the masses if the savings banks would agree to act as custodians of bonds belonging to their depositors and at the same time would agree to attend to the work of collecting the interest.

"One of the reasons tending to explain why the French masses so readily subscribe to the bonds of their Government," said Mr. Leon, "is the system prevailing in France with reference to the safe keeping of securities and the collection of coupons of small bondholders. French wage earners, small shopkeepers, and farmers leave their securities at the bank. These securities are entered upon their account, and the coupons collected from time to time and the proceeds of the same entered to their credit."

Mr. Leon suggested that the last two pages of each passbook be devoted to entries of deposits and withdrawals of Liberty bonds.

The Boy Scouts of America will today begin work for the second Liberty Loan. The organization numbers 267,253. Many of the Scouts already have assisted in the distribution of circulars and posters. It is the aim of the khaki-clad youngsters to bring in double the number of subscriptions they obtained in the first Liberty Loan campaign.

Hoboken bankers are planning to hold a bond ball on Wednesday, which has been designated by President Wilson as Liberty Loan Day. The great concourse of the Lackawanna Terminal has been engaged for the event. It is expected that at least 3,000 persons will take part. Rabbi Stephen S. Wise has promised to deliver a patriotic address.

The League of Catholic Women for Civic and Social Reform yesterday reported subscriptions of $30,000 for Liberty Loan bonds. At the headquarters of the league, 124 East Thirty-eighth Street, it was announced by Mrs. George A. Muir that 200 women had begun an active campaign in the parochial schools where they would reach approximately 45,000 children. The largest subscriptions in the first day's work were $20,000 by Mrs. F. Burrall Hoffman, and $25,000 by George A. Muir.

More than 1,000 Catholic women, headed by the Subway Band, will participate in the Liberty Loan pageant on Wednesday. They will march under a banner with their slogan—"For God, Home and Country."

Among the officers of the organization who are working in behalf of the Liberty Loan are Miss Teresa R. O'Donohue, President, and Miss Elisabeth Marbury, Miss Iselin, Mrs. Frances Burrall Hoffman, Mrs. Nicholas F. Brady, and Mrs. Henry W. Taft.

URGE SUPPORT OF LOAN BY GERMAN-AMERICANS

Hans Rieg Exhorts Hearers at Open-Air Meeting to Support the Country's Institutions.

Several hundred German-Americans who gathered yesterday at 116th Street and Morningside Drive applauded vigorously when a number of representative Americans of German birth or descent called for enthusiastic German-American support of the Liberty Loan.

Hans Rieg, head of the foreign-language bureau of the Liberty Loan organization in Washington, brought here by ex-Commissioner Joseph Hartigan, who organized the meeting, stirred great enthusiasm by his speech, in which he said:

"I love the German language, and German literature, the German scientists, the German customs and habits, but I would fight to the last against German military autocracy.

"You or most of you, came to this country because there was something in you remember the thrill which you had when you first caught sight of the Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor. You were received in friendship by the people you found in this country. You foreswore your allegiance to any other country. You have prospered here. Now it is your duty to support the institutions of this country, under which you have flourished, and which you have learned to love. The burden is heavier upon those of German birth and immediate German descent than it is on others of the American population, because this country is at war with the land of their forefathers and their relatives, but the German-Americans have the sturdiness and the stamina to face this difficult situation and to give generously and freely of their wealth and of their blood.

"Our sons and brothers in thousands in the American Army are soon to give that which is dearest to men, their life's blood, in the battle of liberty, and what are we called upon to do? To give, not of our blood but of our money? No, not even that. We are called upon only to lend our money to our country.

"This you must do. No German-American or any other man can afford to fail his country in this. Subscribe to the Liberty bonds. Do you wish to be branded as a slacker, as a shirker, as a seditious traitor? Do you wish your children to be known as the children of a slacker, a shirker, and a seditious traitor? If not subscribe, and subscribe liberally, to the Liberty bonds. Do so at once."

Franz Sigel, son of the civil war General, presided at the meeting, and Carl L. Schurz, a son of the statesman and soldier, stood at the foot of his father's monument. Ludwig Nissen, one of the speakers, quoted from ex-President Eliot of Harvard to prove the great part the German-American had played in building up America. He sketched the careers of some of the great German-Americans, and told the part they had played since 1776 in the revolutionary and civil wars. Then, raising his voice, he said:

"Let us keep up the record. No element of the population has done more for this country in the past than the German-Americans, and none will do more today.

"Let us show that the United States is in this war with all its power and all its might. Nothing can have a greater effect than such a showing in producing a desire for peace among all the belligerents, including Germany.

"Let us work for a peace by negotiation. It is only by this that the lives of hundreds of thousands of Americans now about to enter the war and millions more of Europeans, some our relatives, can be saved.

"The only hope for peace by negotiation is the overwhelming success of the Liberty Loan. In my opinion, every bond bought is a step toward peace. Since the first battle of this country are behind the Government; that we are in this war with all our power and riches, and we have struck the greatest blow toward bringing it to an end."

William Jaeckel, President of the Liederkranz, pleaded for the greatest possible showing by German-Americans in the purchase of Liberty bonds. He said:

"Before the United States entered the war you had as good a right to be pro-German as Teddy Roosevelt and Elihu Root had to be pro-British, but now that this country is in the war, German-Americans have but one thought and that is that America shall be completely victorious."

George Sylvester Viereck urged liberal subscribing "not to Liberty loans, pleaded for universal military service, and the greatest navy in the world for the United States, and asked for a cessation of the "press campaign" against loyal Americans of German origin.

MINISTERS PRESS BONDS.

Dr. Reisner Supplements Appeal by Indorsing Mayor Mitchel.

Ministers in most churches in this city called on their congregations yesterday to subscribe liberally for Liberty bonds. After his exhortation to lend to the Government, Dr. Christian F. Reisner of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, said there was more than a political issue in this campaign, because of the failure of candidates, except Mayor Mitchel, to declare themselves on the issue of patriotism. He said:

"Let every one stand out in the open these days. Either we are for the Government, not in mere words, but deeds, or we are against it.

"Mayor Mitchel is right. We cannot help but be suspicious of the other candidates when they do not declare themselves, but hope to carry the pro-German vote and so pass the question of loyalty with a shrug. The whole country knows where Mayor Mitchel stands, and they will count it a defeat for out-and-out Americanism if he is defeated."

Dr. M. Hyamson of the Orach Chaim Synagogue said in his sermon yesterday:

"We had hoped that the United States would have been saved from entanglement in the Old World war, but these hopes have not been fulfilled. America is in the war. Our duty, therefore, is clear. It is summed up in the one word—loyalty. We must be loyal to this dear land of liberty and opportunity, to this land which has proved a haven of refuge to us. We must be loyal, wholly and unreservedly, with our minds, our hearts, our souls."

The Rev. Dr. Allan MacRossie, pastor of St. Andrew's Methodist Episcopal Church, who recently returned from England, described in his sermon the great work in England of the Y. M. C. A., and asserted that the Church of England had failed to measure up to the crisis. He said:

"The church that does not know how to readjust itself to modern conditions had better go out of business. The Established Church has lost the greatest chance it ever had. The Y. M. C. A. is showing what religion really is. It has put in the hearts of the soldiers the fact that the dwelling place of God is in the heart. It teaches that everybody is a child of God and that all men are brothers. The workers do not carry a Bible in their hands and put a pious twang in their voices."

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, President of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, who spoke last night at the Church of the Ascension, drew a lesson in favor of woman suffrage from the Cruger case, blaming the failure in that case to the one-sidedness of a police administration in which women had no part. All the police and other officials who worked on the case picked up the mistaken theory that a girl who disappeared must have encouraged advances, she said. A woman, Mrs. Grace Humiston, then started to work, she said, instinctively adopting the correct theory that a girl of good bringing-up would never voluntarily accept attentions from a chance acquaintance.

SKINNER HELPS LOAN.

Appeals to Savings Banks to Do Their Utmost for Its Success.

ALBANY, Oct. 21.—Institutions under the supervision of the State Banking Department, with the aid of George I. Skinner, Superintendent of Banks, are co-operating to make a success of the second Liberty bond issue. Mr. Skinner has sent a letter to the officers of the savings banks throughout the State, pointing out that it is their patriotic duty, more than ever before, to assist in the sale of the new securities. His letter follows:

"The savings banks which did most for the sale of the first Liberty bonds issued by the National Government were the least inconvenienced by it. One of the savings banks which made a most generous subscription actually had to purchase additional bonds in order to meet its contracts, and although it was paying dividends of only 3½ per cent., experienced no considerable loss in deposits.

"Among the legal questions that have arisen in connection with the sale of Liberty bonds by savings banks is one as to the right of a savings bank to keep the bonds purchased by its patrons for them, as most of them are not bond buyers, and have no facilities for caring for the bonds after they have been fully paid for. This department is not disposed to stand upon technicalities with regard to such matters, and believes it proper for savings banks to accommodate their patrons by retaining the bonds for them, subject to their order, as a necessary incident to the sale of bonds to individuals who are so situated."

LARDNER BENDS ONE OVER FOR THE LOAN

Tells How Busher Jack Invested $3,600 He Got for Not Pitching in the Big "Serious."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—In an effort to aid the second Liberty Loan campaign, Ring W. Lardner has written one of his characteristic "Jack" letters for publication through the Publicity Bureau of the Loan Division of the Treasury Department.

The letter, which was given out by the Treasury Department tonight, tells how Jack, the bush league baseball player made famous by Lardner, has received his money out of the world's series and found a place to put it. He has written his old friend "Al" down at Bedford, Ind.," all about it, as follows:

By RING W. LARDNER.

Chi., Oct. 18.

Friend Al:

Well, old pal, I guess you seen by this time what we done to the N. Y. city giants in the big serious, and McGraw got just what was comeing to him, and I should think he ought to know better by this time than try and win a big serious with left hand pitchers that are just about as reliable as a base ball reporter or something. I suppose you and the rest of the boys have been wandering why didn't Rowland pick me in there, and I will tell you why Al. The 1st two games my arm was so sore I couldn't even raise it up to leather my face let alone shave and of coarse I couldn't pitch in that condition, and then we got down to Boston and I act Rowland would like pitch me and he says, No we got them 2 games to 0 now and I want to show them up and win 4 strate without useing my best men.

But our club played like a high school those 2 games and Benton and Shuu win the 2 games, the lucky left hand stiffs, so then Rowland was afraid we was going to have to play all 7 games and the 7th game would decide the serious so he was saveing his ace for the 7th game and of coarse we didn't have to play it so I got no chance to work. That's how it was Al and I guess Herzog and Zimmerman and Kauff and them was tickled to death I wasn't in there though the rottenest pitcher in the world can generally look like a rummy because they strike at a ball if you throw it to 1st base.

Well I Al would be home by this time only we haven't split up the money yet but we are going to do it today and tomorrow I am going to put my share where they can't nobody take it away from me but I can get it back whenever I want it and draw 4 per cent. int. all the while. At 1st I was going to invest in some kind of business and stay right here in old Chi but I spoke to Kid Gleason and he says, What and the hell do you know about business you big busher and the 1st thing you know you wont have enough money left to buy a hair cut for a billiard ball. So I ast him where would he invest it if he was so he says Put it the same place I am going to put mine, in liberty bonds. So that is what I am going to do with the $3,600 I got comeing Al, and I will buy $ 1,000 bonds and $ 600 worth of thrift stamps to give me something on the side for a rainey day besides $144 dollars per annun int and no chance to loose out. And besides Al I kind of feel like as if I ought to lone my money to the govt. our self, because I am going over there and fight myself on acct. of haveing 2 dependibles, Florrie and the kid.

They isn't nothing I would like better then get right in to the trenchs but as long as I can't I feel like it is up to me to leave them have some of my money especially when it aint really giveing it to them but just loneing it and they got to give me int and Kid Gleason is 1 of the smartest men I ever seen even if he does call me a busher but of coarse he is joking when he says that, but he wouldn't tell me to buy liberty bonds if they wasn't the right thing to buy.

If I was you Al and had a little dough saved up I would buy 1 or 2 for myself and of coarse I know you can't plunge into them like I but youre a sucker if you dont take advantage of this chance and be helping your country at 1 and the same time especially when you might of enlisted in the army and been over there yourself because Bertha could support herself makeing dresses or something and you got no kids tying you down like I and Florrie.

Think this over Al and tell the boys I will be home Saturday night and if they want to give me a little feed all O K but no speeches.

Your pal,
Jack.

NEW ENGLAND CHURCHES AID.

Bells and Sermons Remind Worshippers of Liberty Sunday.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—Church bells in every part of New England pealed for ten minutes at 10 A. M. today calling on worshippers to remember that it was "Liberty Sunday" and that the last week of the campaign for subscriptions had begun.

In every church "The Star-Spangled Banner" was sung, and the clergymen urged their congregations to buy bonds. Army and navy Chaplains also pleaded as their services for support of the bond issue.

PRIVATE BUYS 604 BONDS.

Lewis A. Ripley Sold His Seat on the Stock Exchange to Do It.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Oct. 21.—Private Lewis A. Ripley, 121st Aero Squadron at Kelley Field, purchased today from officers in charge of the campaign 604 Liberty bonds.

The officers expressed surprise at the size of the order and also the unusual number, so Ripley explained: "I have just sold my seat on the New York Stock Exchange for $30,200, and the bonds are the best investment I know."

Evaded Liberty Bond Question.

Scott Nearing, the Socialist, who was dropped from the University of Pennsylvania because of disapproval of his comments on social question and from the University of Toledo because of his opposition to the war, spoke on "The Cost of Life" to an audience of about 1,500 last night at the Brooklyn Civic Forum in Public School 84, Brownsville. Questions were asked at the close of the speech and one man asked: "Would you advise me to buy Liberty Bonds?" The speaker laughed, and merely answered: "If I said no it would mean a term in prison."

Chicago District $225,000,000.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The total recorded subscriptions to the Liberty Loan are $179,438,000 for the Seventh Federal Reserve district, Secretary A. W. Bullard of the Executive Committee in charge of the "drive," announced tonight. This amount has been reported from approximately 5,500 banks, and he estimated the total, including amounts reported by County Chairmen, but not actually recorded, as $225,000,000.

FOOD BOARD FINDS FARMERS NEED AID

State Harvest Is Backward, Chiefly Because of Labor Shortage.

COAL SUPPLY IS LOW

Commission Will Confer with National Administrator and Provide Against Duplication of Effort.

The new State Food Commission announced yesterday that it has taken over the State Food Supply Department as authorized by the law just passed. The commission held its first meeting in Albany on Friday and perfected its organization. The first problem that it will attack is that of providing the farmers of the State with labor and of seeing that they get enough coal to keep their thrashers and other machinery going. The commission will go to Washington today to confer with Administrator Herbert C. Hoover. C. H. Betts, the secretary of the commission, said yesterday that the object of the Washington conference was to reach an understanding with the Federal authorities as to what work would be under the direction of the Federal Administration, and what would be taken up by the State authorities so that there would be no conflict of authority or duplication.

The commission has been gathering information relative to conditions in this State as they affect the farmers. Secretary Betts several days ago communicated with the managers of the Farm Bureaus in each county and many leading farmers in regard to labor conditions, coal and cars. The replies indicate that the farmers are facing serious difficulties. A summary of some of the replies made public by the commission follows: Broome County reports harvest backward because of labor shortage; Cayuga County, fifteen men needed at once, coal limited, cars short; Cortland County, extra labor needed badly for three weeks, and unless supplied some crops cannot be harvested; Franklin County, serious car shortage on Grand Trunk and Fort Covington; Greene County, shortage of help, especially for apple picking; Livingston County, labor shortage, general shortage of coal; Madison County, labor badly needed to finish silos and dig potatoes; Onondaga County, scarcity of labor and cars; Ontario County, labor very scarce, coal obtainable only at a premium, hard to get at that; Orleans County, slight labor shortage, large coal shortage; Steuben County, labor scarce, need twenty-five men for potato digging; Wayne County, labor needed, great shortage of coal; Yates County, labor situation most acute ever known, harvesting of all crops, grapes, apples, beans, potatoes, and cabbage seriously delayed by lack of help, situation very serious; Warren County, labor scarce, Campfire Girls harvesting.

This information will be placed before the Federal authorities. The commission believes that immediate relief for the farmers is the first important step in real food conservation. It is pointed out that the farmers have responded to the appeal from the National Government to increase crop acreage, but now they are handicapped by the inability to gather their products. So many farmers' sons and employes have been drafted that they think the Government should help to harvest the crops or thrash the grain.

The formal opening of the campaign in this city to enlist every housewife as an active aid to the National Food Administration will begin at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, when the ceremony of signing the first pledge cards will take place on the forward deck of the land battleship Recruit in Union Square. Arthur Williams, Chairman of the Campaign Committee, will preside. A chorus of 200 school children, under the direction of James J. McCabe, District Superintendent of Schools, will sing "America" to music composed by Professor McCabe.

The first cards will be signed by soldiers' mothers, one selected from each borough. Mrs. Annie McNamara of Layton Avenue, New Brighton, will represent the Borough of Richmond. She is the janitress of Public School 14, New Brighton. She has three sons in service. Two of her sons are at Camp Upton and one is in the navy.

"I have given three sons to the country," said Mrs. McNamara yesterday. "I have two boys in Camp Upton and another is in the navy. I did my best to bring them up right and make them strong men and good citizens. I thought after they had grown up I could take things a bit easy, but now the war has come and they are gone. I shall just go on working. But I am glad and proud to have given them to my country."

The names of the other mothers of soldiers will be made public later. They will meet at the Food Administration headquarters, 124 East Fifteenth Street, and be escorted by a committee to the Recruit.

FEW HOMES SAVING FOOD.

How to Make Citizens Help Win War Puzzles Administrators.

How to impress upon the citizen the vital importance of food conservation is perplexing the Food Administration both in this State and in Washington. In few homes has there been any food sacrifice, and the little that has been done was described by a woman at a recent food meeting in the City Hall when she said: "We are conserving food because at present prices we cannot do otherwise." John McE. Bowman of the National Food Administration said yesterday that 80 per cent. of the hotels were saving food with beefless Tuesdays and wheatless Wednesdays, but that the homes were not. Mr. Bowman gave it as his opinion that in not a single family in this city was there any serious attempt to help win the war by saving food.

Mr. Bowman has written the Hotel Association of the seriousness of the situation and the urgency of their living up to the orders of the National Food Administrator. If they do not, Mr. Bowman is of the opinion that all hotels will be put under Federal license.

New Yorkers will make every other day a meatless day if they follow the suggestion of Inspector Graef, a Health Department dietitian. The inspector finds that the cheapest wholesome dietary for a family of five persons, man, wife, and three children, costs $9.07 a week in New York City, $9.25 in New Orleans, $9.14 in Boston, $9.12 in San Frascisco, and $9.80 in Chicago. The average for twenty-four cities and towns is $9.43. He finds that menus provided at these figures are not especially tempting. A really palatable dietary will cost approximately 25 per cent. more. Comparison shows that meat and bread are disproportionately high in New York City and that the way to real economy lies in cutting down the consumption of meat.

TO MAKE CORN KING AGAIN.

Palatable Dishes Suggested to Overcome Present-Day Prejudices.

Important changes in the articles of one's daily diet come about very slowly, and it may take years and years of positive suggestion, accompanied by all manner of circumstances, to induce even a trial of a dish once discarded as unpalatable. Witness the years—carefully coached and nurtured by ardent love, or dire necessity, or both—that pass before a young husband can be weaned from the memory of "mother's cooking," but that this memory can and for all time be supplanted is one of the certainties of life.

And now comes an effort to establish instanter the sometimes lowly-considered cereal corn to its rightful kingly place, backed by no less a sponsor than Food Administer Hoover and assistant director Dire Necessity. Chef Edouard Panchard of the McAlpin Hotel has contributed several corn dishes which are worthy of a trial in the Northern States, while they will even show new possibilities to the Southern housewife, where corn has always been a food staple. Some of the recipes are:

Cornmeal Souffle—In one pint of boiling milk scatter, while stirring, two ounces cornmeal and cook in a mild oven for twenty minutes. Cool this a little, then mix into 1¼ ounces of butter, 1½ ounces of grated cheese, the yolks of 2 eggs, and the whites of 3 eggs which have been beaten to a stiff froth. Put in a buttered baking dish, sprinkle with grated cheese, and bake 15 minutes like ordinary souffle.

Chicken Hash with Polenta.—In a quart of boiling water containing half an ounce of salt, immerse twelve ounces of cornmeal, stirring until thoroughly mixed. Cook for twenty minutes. Add two ounces of butter and half an ounce grated cheese. Spread one thin layer on the bottom of a buttered gratin dish, and on top the stuffing prepared as follows: Mix half a pound finely minced cooked chicken, three ounces chopped cooked spinach, salt, pepper, and mix with one raw egg. Cover with a layer of the cornmeal mush; sprinkle same with grated cheese and bake.

Cornmeal Grochi.—Scatter and stir twelve ounces white cornmeal into a quart of boiling milk. Season with salt, pepper, and nutmeg. Cook gentle for twenty minutes. Take it off fire; thicken with the yolks of two eggs; spread it over a moistened tray half an inch thick. When quite cold cut it out with two-inch round cutter, set in buttered shallow gratin dish, sprinkle with grated cheese and melted butter, and bake nicely brown.

RAILROADS MORE EFFICIENT.

War Board's Executive Reports Increase in Service.

Fairfax Harrison, Chairman of the Railroads' War Board, in a statement issued yesterday, said that in the six months since the creation of the board the railroads of the country had rendered about 15 per cent. more service than they did in the same period last year with practically the same plant. The feature of the present situation, according to Mr. Harrison, is the degree to which the railroads are co-operating whole-heartedly with one another and with the War Board in the effort to produce a maximum of transportation efficiency. As the demands upon the railroads incident to the war were apt to increase, he said, the need for the utmost co-operation on the part of all concerned would become increasingly greater.

"The railroads of the country report," Mr. Fairfax said, "that on Oct. 1 the excess of unfilled orders from shippers for freight cars, over and above the idle cars at different points, numbered 70,380. This is the figure which has been commonly but inaccurately, referred to as car shortage. This compares with the excess of unfilled car requisitions amounting to 77,682 on July 1, 83,776 on Aug. 1, and 34,005 on Sept. 1. The actual number of unfilled car orders on Oct. 1 was almost identical with the number on Oct. 1 last year, the figures being 94,572 for Oct. 1, 1917, and 94,854 for Sept. 30, 1916.

"The difference in the excess of unfilled orders over the idle cars for the two years is accounted for by the fact that on Sept. 30, 1916, as many as 34,157 cars were idle, whereas on Oct. 1, 1917, only 24,192 were reported as idle, thus indicating a more efficient use of the available equipment on the part of the railroads."

ARMY NEEDS ROADBUILDERS

Special Corps Now Being Formed for Service in France.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The national army is greatly in need of road builders. They are wanted for a highway construction corps, now being formed for early service in France. Men of draft age are acceptable if not already called.

No pick-and-shovel men are needed. The heavy manual labor will be done by German prisoners and service battalions. Volunteers for the new battalions must be experienced in some line of road construction—men who understand road rollers, stone-crushing plants, &c., as well as blacksmiths, bridge workers, carpenters, quarrymen, &c.

This information was made public here today by Colonel E. N. Johnston, U. S. A., Corps of Engineers, 1,419 F Street N.W., Washington, D. C., to whom all applications should be made.

Colonel Johnston says the road builders will be a part of the Twenty-third Regiment of Engineers, and will number eventually 10,500 men.

PUTS FULL STEAM INTO LOAN DRIVE

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ers in the field, will continue unabated until Thursday night. The Scouts are reporting good progress.

"Recapitulation of sales made through different organizations of persons of foreign birth or extraction shows that great numbers of so-called German-American bodies, including many that supported the first loan, are striving hard to make the second loan a success.

"National organizations are issuing special appeals to their sub-lodges urging them to appoint special Liberty Loan committees to solicit their members on behalf of the loan. Responses are encouraging. Comparatively small bodies composed chiefly of laboring men and small wage earners, with few dollars in their treasuries, have adopted resolutions to invest the largest part, if not all, of their funds in Liberty bonds. Other organizations with greater means are subscribing amounts ranging from $1,000 to $100,000.

"In several Federal Reserve districts where there is a predominance of German-Americans, central committees are conducting special campaigns. Special efforts are being put forth by many societies to thwart the pernicious and seditious attempts to interfere with the success of the loan.

"Approximately 250,000 clergymen today urged the purchase of Liberty bonds in sermons dealing especially with the loan and its purposes. 'The Star-Spangled Banner' also was sung in almost every church in the country."

Gompers Appeals to Labor.

Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, has issued the following appeal for the support of the loan:

"The world is engaged in a life and death struggle to determine whether imperialism and autocracy or freedom and democracy shall prevail. The United States and her allies are contending for the latter. The man power and the wealth of our country are pledged to make that contention good. Many of our men are in France. Others are being prepared to go over there, offering the supreme sacrifice if necessary in defense of the great principles for which the democracies of the world are fighting.

"It behooves every man and every woman to furnish the means by which all the needs of our fighting forces shall be supplied and the only way that these needs can be met is by money. The Government of the United States has issued a new Liberty Loan bond. It is by all means the safest investment which can be made. The wealth and the honor of the Government of the people of the United States are behind it.

"In addition there is 4 per cent. interest on the investment. To buy a bond is not sacrificing or giving anything to the Government. It is simply loaning the money. I appeal to all my countrymen, particularly to the men of labor of America, to do all in their power to buy a Liberty bond and suggest that the purchase of the bond be made on Wednesday, Oct. 24."

APPEALS TO RUSSIANS TO SAVE RUMANIANS

French Diplomat Says King Ferdinand's Army Is in Great Danger of Famine.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Colonel de St. Aulaire, the French Minister to Rumania, has arrived in Odessa, according to an Odessa dispatch to Reuter's, Limited, which gives the following account of his address to the French colony there:

"Germany is convinced that King Ferdinand and the legally constituted Rumanian Government would oppose any proposal for a separate peace, and has attempted a desperate effort to expel the Rumanian army from Moldavia with the object of establishing at Bucharest a new Government which would agree to a separate peace. But the Rumanian army is vigorously resisting the attacks of the enemy, thus protecting Bessarabia, and, as a result, atrocities are being committed in Rumanian territory."

The Minister pointed out that the army and the civilian population of Moldavia were threatened and in great danger of famine, as the last food reserves would be exhausted in a few weeks. He appealed to the democracy of Russia to organize speedy and regular services of supplies, declaring that it was the imperative duty of democratic Russia to save the population of Moldavia and the Rumanian troops who were fighting for the common cause of the Allies.

BOY PATRIOTS BACK HOME.

Wanted to Halt German Murder, But Found Tender Years a Drawback.

James Gordon Mahoney, 12 years old, and his brother Daniel, 13, sons of James Mahoney, a stationary engineer of 160 Rutledge Street, Brooklyn, left their home early on Saturday morning to play with other boys in the vicinity. When they did not return for the midday meal their mother did not become alarmed, but James Mahoney, Sr., returning from work in the evening, found a note in his letter box which made him hasten to the police of the Clymer Street Station.

The note, signed "Dan and Jim," read:

Dear Mamma and Papa: Brother and I are going to do our bit in this whole country, and particularly to fight for your country. Don't worry about us. We don't want anybody to worry about us at all. Please tell Uncle Dan if he worries about us that did the selfsame thing when he was young.

The boys returned home early yesterday morning after sending an emissary to the Mahoney home to find out whether they were to be punished. They said they had made a tour of the piers in Manhattan, seeking work on board a transatlantic steamship, but were told that they were too young. They took the ferry to Jersey City and spent the night on the porch of a country store near Hackensack; they said. They had only 50 cents between them, and when that was spent they had to return home.

"The Germans are getting away with murder and sinking transports," explained the older brother, "so we decided to help out."

LAUDS BRITISH METHODS.

German Socialist Pays Tribute to Lloyd George's Work.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 20, (Correspondent of The Associated Press.)—In the Socialist Monthly, Dr. August Muller, the new Socialist Under Secretary for German food distribution, admits that after the war Germany will find it difficult to transport materials and still more difficult to pay for them. He pays a high tribute to the organization gradually being called into existence in Great Britain under Premier Lloyd George and says:

"The British Empire may in many respects furnish fancy with a model. Here practice is already deeply leavened by the economic principle of the greatest possible production at the lowest possible expenditure of material."

POLES FLOCK TO COLORS.

Meeting Also Subscribes $25,000 to New Liberty Loan.

A meeting of the American Loyalty League of Polish Descendants was held in the headquarters, 83 Seventh Street, yesterday to launch a campaign of publicity to check the influence of pro-German propaganda. About 250 members cheered lustily when Edward C. Rybicki called for recruits for the army of Americanized Poles soon to be sent to France.

The meeting added 100 more names to the list of those who will go to the training camp at Niagara Falls, and $25,000 was subscribed to the Liberty Loan.

Speaking of the willingness of the Poles to follow the American flag into battle on the other side, Mr. Rybicki said that through the work of the organization more than 3,000 young men of Polish descent had enlisted in the Polish contingent training at Niagara Falls.

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